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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Swedish citizen SVEN AKE HUGO HAGUND, bachelor, born on December 5, 1910, in the parish of Sofia, province of Jönköping, Sweden, resident in Yuncheng, Shansi, and the British citizen FRANCES HELEN ERSKINE BARTLETT, spinster, born on January 26, 1911 in Shoeburyness, Essex, England, resident in Yuncheng, Shansi, intend to contract marriage, and that any just cause why they should not be joined in matrimony must be declared before the undersigned not later than June 28, 1939.

ERIK KRONVALL,
Acting Consul-General.

Royal Swedish Consulate General, Shanghai, June 7, 1939.

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L. DES COURTILS,
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BERTRAM LILLIE
Deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Trustee Act 1925 that all persons having claims or demands upon or against the Estate of BERTRAM LILLIE, late of Shanghai, China, Principal of the Lester School & Henry Lester Institute of Technical Education, Shanghai, deceased, who died at Shanghai aforesaid on the 24th day of April 1939 and Probate of whose Will was, on the 25th day of May 1939, granted by His Britannic Majesty's Supreme Court for China at Shanghai to ALBERT EDWARD THORNTON one of the Executors named in the said Will, who have not already done so are hereby requested to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned on or before the 8th day of August 1939, and that after which date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and will not be answerable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand the said Executor shall not then have had notice.

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Shanghai, June 8, 1939.

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ERNEST HEENAN,
Resident Secretary.

Shanghai, May 31, 1939.

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To-day's Events

JUNE

8 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
8 B.U.S.C., 'The Age of Spenser,' by H.G.B. Perry, Esq. 24 Rte. Ferguson, 5.15
8 Royal Asiatic Society Lecture, 5.30
8 Vocal Concert, Bergmann, Broadway Theatre, 9.15
8 Official observance of King George VI's birthday
8 Kuomintang flag hoisted, Peking (1928)
8 J. H. Thorburn killed in Soochow (1931)

Coming Events

JUNE

9 Miss J. Rubinraut's younger pupils, Station XMHD, 5
9 Y.W.C.A. Musical Tea, 5
9 Shanghai Camera Club, Meeting and Lecture, 330 Szechuen Road, 9
10 "B" Coy., S.V.C., No. 1 Platoon, Monthly Dinner, S.V.C. Club, 8
10 Dinner Dance, Floorshow, C.S.F., 8.30
12 Cradle Bridge/Mahjongg, Y.M.C.A., 3
13 B.U.S.C., Tiffin Talk on 'Present Day Chinese Currency Problems' by E. Kann Esq., at the Dome, 12.15
14 K. Orlovskaya's gala performance 'Mile Nitouche,' Lt. Opera, Lyc., 8.45
15 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
16 'Mile Nitouche,' Lt. Opera, Lyc., 8.45
16 Show and Dance, Polish Women's Association, A.W.C., 9
18 'Mlle Nitouche,' Lt. Opera, Lyc., 8.45
22 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30

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June 8, 1939.

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June 1, 1939.

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China Realty:

And Debenture Holders

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Having carefully perused the article published in your esteemed journal of yesterday's date entitled "China Realty Approved by American Court," I should like to know to what extent an approval by the American Court of the Company's reorganization scheme may be considered as a legal measure to deprive 8 per cent. Debenture holders of their right to refuse to surrender their debenture certificates in exchange for new common stock? Unless I am very much mistaken the answer is, "None whatsoever." In support of such a contention, I submit the following extract from the said article.

The opinion handed down by Judge Helmick states: This matter comes before the court upon the hearing for the approval and confirmation or the disapproval of the plan of reorganization of the debtor company filed by the Trustee. Since no objections to the plan have been filed and since the requisite percentage in amount of each class of creditors affected by the plan and of the stockholders have filed acceptances, the approval and confirmation of the plan might apparently be ordered as a routine matter.

From the foregoing it will not be difficult to appreciate the intention of the court. Surely, Sir, the indication can be no more than an approval and confirmation by the court with regard to the company's formal application for the necessary authority to cancel the existing capital (comprised of common stock) and immediately raise it again to $12,500,000 through a new issue of common stock. As to who actually absorbs the new issue is no direct concern of the court, but since a majority of 8 per cent Debenture holders have agreed to subscribe toward it in exchange for their debenture certificates, the court, therefore, also approves of such an arrangement. To put it simply, the reorganization plan may only affect those creditors from whom the Trustee has received documents signifying their approval of the scheme, otherwise there exists no legal provision to compel the remaining creditors to fall in line with the Trustee's arrangement.

Since approval of the reorganization plan necessarily involves an important decision, I would strongly advise those 8 per cent Debenture holders who have not as yet filed legal acceptance, to give the matter their careful consideration before taking any definite steps in this direction. Whilst I am not entirely opposed to the scheme in general, I do feel it would be to the interest of 8 per cent. Debenture holders to study the possibilities of such an adventure with the future success of the Company or to determine to what extent the risks involved would argue against the advisability of acceptance. To achieve any success in this direction it would be necessary to hold an informal meeting of 8 per cent. Debenture holders at which time such matters could be freely discussed.

Should any of your readers (whether large or small debenture holders) be interested enough to approach you for information concerning my proposed informal meeting of 8 per cent. Debenture holders, I would be obliged, Sir, if you would kindly furnish me with their names and addresses so that I may be able, at a later date, to furnish them with full particulars.

HEAVILY-INTERESTED.

Shanghai, June 7.

Shanghai Racing:

A Suggested Change

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—This may not be the apposite moment to bring out the question of correct system of racing in Shanghai, but recent developments have proved conclusively that this sport is definitely on the up-grade.

During the Spring Season, the stewards of the Shanghai Race Club gave evidence of their efforts to cater to the public, who, after all, is the mainstay in the pari-mutuel booths and I sincerely hope that serious consideration be accorded to the suggestion I am about to make, and may the gods guide us with the light of wisdom to a better and more comprehensive system.

Under the existing state of affairs, a layman goes to the races absolutely blind except for a fair knowledge of a few outstanding ponies. He is not prepared as to how to outlay his bets until the declared starters are posted on the board and this hardly gives him time to work out the form of the various contenders.

But this is not all. So many exciting factors are missed out, just because the declared starters are not given out one day previous, that it would fill pages to describe them. Wherever racing is conducted in the legitimate manner, this system provides for innumerable discussions in the various clubs and coffee houses which must perforce stimulate interest to a high degree.

A race-goer would prefer to be well organized within himself, have ample time to study form in each race in the way he knows best, and visit the track well equipped with the knowledge that each investment he makes has been given due consideration.

The amateur status of local racing should not be a hazard to this suggestion if it is practicable, and the question is—is it practicable or not? And if not, why not?

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But bespeaking the mind of many a race-goer, I say let us delude ourselves with the thought that we certainly would do much better if we had enough time to know what we are going to do.

ON FORM.

Shanghai, June 7.

BY SAPAJOU

Mr. A. M. Joukovsky-Volynsky

who is leaving shortly for the United States.

Discovery II Home From Antarctic

Returns from a Trip of 60,000 Miles Along Ice Edge Studying Whales

Spick and span in her coat of battleship grey, Discovery II., Government research vessel, came up to London Bridge on May 9 and later berthed in St. Katherine's Dock. The tide of City workers was streaming homeward over the bridge as she passed through the dock gates. Her crew had not been home for 20 months and were returning from a trip of 60,000 miles along the ice edge.

The two bands of workers regarded each other with interest—one black-coated envious group from London Bridge and the tanned and weather-beaten men from the deck.

"Boy!" breathed a sailor on the Discovery. "It's a treat to see old London again." One could only imagine what the clerks were saying as they gazed down on the adventure ship.

Every Man a Story

On board her they say they have been doing a routine job—studying the natural history of whales in the southern ocean, the seasonal variations in the physical and biological conditions in the ocean and in the movements of whales. But Discovery, with a complement of 52, could tell 52 stories of adventure.

Take Reg King, youngest of the crew, whose mother and two sisters run aboard to throw their arms around his neck. But for a bit of luck he might have been one of the crowd walking over London Bridge. Fate placed him aboard the training-ship Warspite, and when Discovery wanted an ordinary seaman Reg was chosen from 150 other boys. He was 15 then. He is 17 now. Life in the Antarctic has made him as strong as a bull.

Then there is Pat Traill-Smith (21), born in Dublin, domiciled in Capetown, father commander of Simons-town dockyard.

"It looked as if there was going to be a scrap over here," said Pat, "so I decided to come and take a short-term commission in the R.A.F. I've worked my passage."

Roy Stevens joined the ship in Fremantle. He had never been to sea before but he was told there was a job going in the mess and he got it.

Mr. H. F. P. Herdman, who is in charge of the scientific party of three and who has spent 15 years with Discovery expeditions, told a "News Chronicle" reporter of the work.

Immense Task Yet

We started, he said, with a circumpolar cruise from Capetown to the ice edge, Fremantle, the ice edge, Dunedin to ice edge, Falkland Islands, South Georgia to the ice edge and Capetown, where we arrived in May of last year.

There we covered a rectangular area between Capetown and the ice edge seven times.

Now there is the immense task of sorting out and studying the thousands of specimens of marine life

Terrible Experiences Of Cave Explorers

One of Party Killed Exploring Pot-holes

Miss Betty Hatten, 16-years-old Leeds art student, told a reporter how she was trapped for 12 hours on a ledge halfway down a 340ft. deep pothole in Ingleborough Mountain.

As reported in the "Daily Mail," of May 19 another member of the exploring party, 28-years-old John Lambert, of Nelson, was killed when his party was exploring one of the deep fissures in the mountain known as pot-holes.

Miss Hatten was brought to the surface on a stretcher late at night after rescue workers had struggled for hours in an effort to reach the party of herself and five men pot-holers, marooned in the storm-flooded underground passage.

We all went down at about 9.30 on morning of May 7 said Miss Hatten. Everything looked fine for exploring.

About half-way down I went on to a ledge with Mr. Robert Stow, a member of the party.

Lost Footing

Lambert was being assisted by Mr. F. Waller, who was on the surface. He seemed to lose his footing and crashed down almost at our feet.

One of his legs was broken. He was unconscious, but regained his senses for a minute and tried to speak. We did what we could for him and tried to make him comfortable.

Then we noticed that the waterfall beside us was growing in strength. A sudden thunderstorm on the mountain-top had made the waterfall twice as big.

We could not go down or up. The water was pouring over, very near to us. The other party were at the bottom of the shaft, but we could not call to them because of the noise of the water.

We tried to wedge Mr. Lambert so that he would not slip. Then we endeavoured to get in touch with the rest of our party.

By this time we were feeling the full force of the thunderstorm. When we ventured away from the rocks, water splashed over us. We could not see or hear anything. It was just a matter of sitting there and hoping for the best.

We had gone to the edge of the ledge in the hope of trying to make them hear our shouts. When we came back Mr. Lambert was gone.

I do not know what happened. He must have slipped and fallen to the bottom. We sat there for hours until we saw someone coming down a ropeladder. It was one of the rescue party.

U.S. Hunt For Dragon Throne

Reported Lost on Atlantic Trip is Found Unguarded On Docks in New York

A report that the Imperial Dragon Throne of China had disappeared during an Atlantic crossing led to a frantic search at the New York docks on May 10, states the "Daily Telegraph and Morning Post."

After several hours of anxiety, during which G-men were called in and cables sent to Amsterdam, from where the throne had been sent, it was found in a packing case which had been standing unguarded on the pier since May 8.

The throne, which had been on view at the Municipal Art Gallery of Amsterdam, was sent to America in the Holland-Amerika liner Zaandam, 10,000 tons, which arrived here on May 8.

With other objects of great historical and artistic value, it was entrusted to Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, jun., daughter-in-law of the former President, for an exhibition in New York to raise money for the war orphans' fund of Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, the Chinese Generalissimo's wife.

Separated From Others

When the Zaandam sailed on April 29 the shipping agent in Amsterdam cabled to Mrs. Roosevelt specifying the number of cases placed in the liner. The case containing the throne, however, became separated from the others because the museum official who despatched it was afraid it might fall into the wrong hands.

He addressed it to Prof. Otto Munchen, a friend of his who lives in Oakland, California. When the Zaandam's cargo was unloaded it was placed on the pier pending receipt of instructions as to what should be done with it.

When the cases were opened this morning in the Customs warehouse here it was found that the throne was not among them. Mrs. Roosevelt immediately cabled to Amsterdam, and meanwhile called in G-men on the assumption that the throne had been stolen.

Carried Across Russia

The throne is stated to have been smuggled out of Peiping, where it stood in the Imperial Palace in the Forbidden City, shortly before the Japanese invasion.

It was carried across China and Russia by coolie cart, mule train, junk and railway, and finally reached the vaults of the Municipal Art Museum in Amsterdam.

It was nominally valued for insurance purposes during the Exhibition at £400,000, but has not yet been insured.

The throne consists of a large armchair raised on a dais. It is approached on either side and in front by a flight of nine steps, guarded by dragons forming balustrades. Behind the throne is a broad screen of eight large panels in dark brown wood, on which are carved dragons. On either side are ledges, like tables, on which the Imperial regalia reposed. Between the throne and the panel screen are enormous columns supporting fans of peacock feathers.

Despite its enormous size the value of the throne is not due to its intrinsic worth. It has neither precious stones nor gold, as other thrones of the Peking Palace had. It is almost entirely made of dark, rare wood, the carving of which is said, to be the finest example in the Orient.

The throne was known as the Imperial throne because only the Emperors of China were allowed to sit on it. It is of a comparatively recent period.

Neutrality Act is Being Redrafted

Stronger Powers to Be Given President; War Proviso Widened

Washington, June 5.

Definite action to revise the Neutrality Act was taken today when the House Foreign Affairs Committee started drafting a project which it will send to Congress on completion.

Present at the Committee meeting to enlighten the members of the State Department's attitude towards this question, were Messrs. R. W. Moore, Counsellor, G. H. Hackworth, senior legal adviser, and Savage, legal adviser.

During the meeting, Representatives Hamilton Fish and George Holden Tinkham proposed that a new Chairman be elected to preside over the Committee in place of Representative Sol Bloom.

But excepting for their two dissenting voices, the Committee voted unanimously to retain Mr. Bloom as Chairman.

Parleys on the neutrality revision project centred about the first section of Mr. Bloom's scheme. This, the body voted by a clear majority, advocating that the President be given greater liberty in invoking the Neutrality Act.

At present, the Chief Executive is first compelled to determine whether a state of war exists and only then to proclaim application of the Act.

The new project would authorize the President to declare that a state of war existed when the peace of the United States or the lives of American citizens appeared to be endangered. It would thus facilitate his application of the Act.

Republican Representatives proposed changes in the wording of Mr. Bloom's project, but did not attempt to modify the principle involved.—Havas.

Briggs Plant Strike Settled in U.S.

Workers Organization to Ratify Terms

Detroit, June 7.

Representatives of the United Automobile Workers Organization have agreed to a settlement of the strike in the plant of Briggs Manufacturing Company, according to an announcement today by Mr. James Dewey, Federal Mediator.

The terms of the settlement, he said, will be presented for ratification at a mass meeting of the Union.

The strike started on May 24 and has involved over 70,000 automobile workers, of which 24,000 are members of the United Automobile Workers Organization.—Reuter.

No Reason for U.S. and Japanese Friction

Interests Complementary, Says Industrialist

Tokyo, June 6.

"Give us a free hand in the Far East. Leave us alone to carry out our programmes for the realisation of lasting peace and the new order in this part of the globe," declared Mr. Ryozo Asano, a noted Japanese industrialist, and said to be a personal friend of President Roosevelt, in a press interview today.

Being a Harvard man himself, Mr. Asano is said to have been a good friend of President Roosevelt for more than a quarter of a century.

"Personlly," Mr. Asano told pressmen, "I firmly believe that Japan and the United States must collaborate closely for the development of markets in the East, since there is nothing to bring the two nations into coflict.

"Instead, the interests of Japan and the United States in the Orient are rather complementary."

Mr. Asano said that he saw no reason why the two countries could not co-operate with each other economically or otherwise, since the amount of investments by the United States in the East was "comparatively small."

Another reason for co-operation, he added, was the fact that American exports in this part of the world were occupied largely by petroleum, tobacco and other commodities, which were scarce in Japan.—Reuter.

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PLACE	P.M. (SHAI-TIME)	METRES	CYCLES
London*	(Trans.2) 6.45-9.50	16.84	17.81
	(Trans.3) 10.00-12.00	16.84	17.81
	Midnight 1.00 a.m.	16.86	17.79
Paris	7	19.68	15.25
Rome	5.30 9.30 12	25.40	11.81
	7	16.83	17.82
Berlin	3 8 10	16.89	19.63
San Fran.	8.30 10.30	31.48	9.53
Manila	6.30 11	31.35	9.57
Melbourne	5.15 8.30 9.20	31.32	9.58
Tokyo	1 2 3.30 4.30 10 11	25.42	11.80
Hongkong	1.30 9.15	31.49	9.52

***Afternoon BBC Programme**

7.00 "Music in the Air," Sir. W. Davies
8.30 "The Thin Red Line," play
9.15 News
9.30 "World Affairs," talk
9.45 Sports news and markets
10.15 "Lucky Dip," variety
11.00 Trooping the Colours, description
12.00 News

From Horse Guards' Parade

One of the most spectacular of London's annual ceremonies, Trooping the Colour on the Horse Guards' Parade by troops of the Household Brigade is the Army's own celebration of the King's birthday—although it is not necessarily held on the actual anniversary (December 14), but on whatever date it pleases his Majesty to name.

At this year's Trooping the Colour, the King, absent in America, will be represented by H.R.H. the Duke of Gloucester. After the Duke has inspected the parade, the ceremony of the actual Trooping will begin. The Colour "trooped," the King's Colour of the Battalion of the Brigade of Guards providing the King's Guard on the day chosen, will be marched with an escort round the lines of Guards, who will salute it as it passes. The ceremony will end with the troops' marching past the Duke in slow and then quick time, after which the Duke will place himself at the head of the Guards and lead them up the Mall to Buckingham Palace.

Seventy Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS" OF JUNE 8, 1869

It seems likely that the Shanghai market will be well supplied with teas. In addition to the cargoes of the Hirado, Moyne and Rona, some 35,000 chests, the Fire Queen, Plymouth Rock and Hangchow, carrying about 50,000 chests were all to leave without waiting for their regular days, and are likely to be here before Wednesday. Buyers need therefore be under no apprehension re deficient supplies, nor in any hurry to make contracts.

China Establishes New Censorship Bureau

Centralized Organization Inaugurated

Chungking, June 7.

In order to centralize press censorship, the Chinese National Military Council on June 5 established a "War-Time Press Censorship Bureau."

General Hsiung Ping has been appointed Director of the Bureau, Mr. Pang Kung-chang has been made Vice-Director and Mr. Peng Keh-chin has been given the post of Secretary-General.

Press censorship in various cities has hitherto been carried out by the headquarters of the local garrison commander, thus lacking a unified policy and centralized supervision.

These defects, it is stated, will be eliminated with the creation of the new bureau.—Reuter.

THE latest styles of men's clothing was shown to tailors, hosiers, shirtmakers, hat-makers and shoemakers in London when they met for a preview of men's clothes. They included tartan shorts for beach wear, to be worn under beach wraps of rust, green and blue patterned material, plum smoking jackets, white dinner jackets, and a hat to suit 20 different faces. Yet these gentlemen who wish to brighten men's clothing, were all themselves dressed in most sober greys and blacks!

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"Blockheads"

Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy, the most popular team of cinema comedians, are at the Nanking Theatre today, supported by Billy Gilbert, Minna Gombell, Patricia Ellis and James Finlayson.

"Made for Each Other"

Carole Lombard and James Stuart are co-starred at the Metropol Theatre today in an intensely human story—supporting players include Charles Coburn, Lucille Watson and Eddie Quillan.

"East Side of Heaven"

This story of a million-dollar baby and several people in love is unfolded at the Grand Theatre today—with Bing Crosby, Joan Blondell, Mischa Auer, Irene Hervey and C. Aubrey Smith.

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O. Manjelei and B. Seroff
Two Guittars ..Svetlanova and Lantzoff
Berchadsky-Riskine ....Songs
Night Music ....A. Merkoulova
"Carnations of Sevilla" ....Francisca
Astor Trio

An excellent programme of divertissements, interspersed with two short ballets—produced by E. Eliroff—was presented in the Lyceum on Tuesday night, on the occasion of the producer's 30 years' association with the Russian ballet. To some perhaps, "Le Spectre de la Rose," with its classical finesse, was the better of the two ballets, with Bobinina and Svetlanoff being in excellent technique, but to the reviewer Dora Yanover's "Au Clair de la Lune." was the more enchanting. The danseuse was a picture of rhythmic grace, in which she gave a charming interpretation of a difficult theme, aided by the moonlight effects. Full marks also to F. Sakharova for the excellent accompaniment, restrained or vigorous as occasion demanded.

Each of the shorter items each was exceptionally fine, inasmuch as all these artistes are recognized as "tops" in their respective arts. Vertinsky, the matinee idol of the Russian community was called upon for several encores, and the "Soul and Body" of Seroc and Manjelei is the best piece of work by this team that the reviewer has been privileged to witness. The dainty dancing of the pre-adolescent Merkoulova, took the house by storm, but owing to her age her parents would not permit an encore.

Much may be written about the remaining acts—it suffices to say that by their co-operation, the show was the best of its kind ever done in Shanghai.—F.L.T.

At the Gaiety

Outstanding among the attractions at Serge Guy's Gaiety Night Club in Avenue Joffre are the beautiful decorations, the smooth dance floor, excellent music and comfortable cocktail bar. The dance music is specially good, being under the able direction of Bob supported by his five bandstars. The band specializes in novelty numbers and swing music and has a fine tango combination. Serge Guy gives guests his personal attention and in addition patrons are deftly served by foreign waiters. Mr. Guy is completing plans for the formal opening of the large, spacious and cool verandah adjoining the club proper and which can comfortably accommodate 100 persons.

New Programme

An entire change of programme will be presented at the Casanova Ballroom tonight, it is announced by the management. The entertainment is headed by a sister act, three girls, who sing and dance and who formerly were featured at a leading local ballroom. Music for dancing is furnished by Apollo's Gauchos. The Casanova has only foreign hostesses and is ideally air-conditioned.

Opening of French Club Roof Garden

Weather permitting, Saturday will be somewhat of a gala night at the French Club. The roof garden will be officially opened for the new season and a very special entertainment has been arranged, when the new floor will be tried out for the first time.

The current favourite, Franciska, will entertain with two Spanish dances and, in contrast, two Negro new-comers to the C.S.F. in the persons of Virginia and Dick Dixie will delight in "I Beg Your Parden, Lady" and "Turkey in the Straw." The rest of the programme consists of:—

"Pirate Dance" ....Svedersky
"Andaluza" ....Franciska
"Spanish Tango" ....Franciska

As it is anticipated that there will be a large crowd on the opening night, members are earnestly requested to assist the Committee by making their reservations in good time. In case of inclement weather, Nick Korin and his band will play in the ballroom, where the dance will be held.

"Mlle Nitouche"

In closing their season with "Mlle Nitouche," the Russian Light Opera will honour their star, Orlovskaya, with a gala performance next Wednesday. To the distress of many of her admirers she was ill for four months during the season and could only participate in three or four shows. It is to be hoped that holidays at some summer resort entirely will cure her.

Supporting the star are Valin, Kudinoff, Rosen, Vargina, Muravieff and Tomsky, while Seroff and Manjelei will lead the ballet in several sparkling numbers.

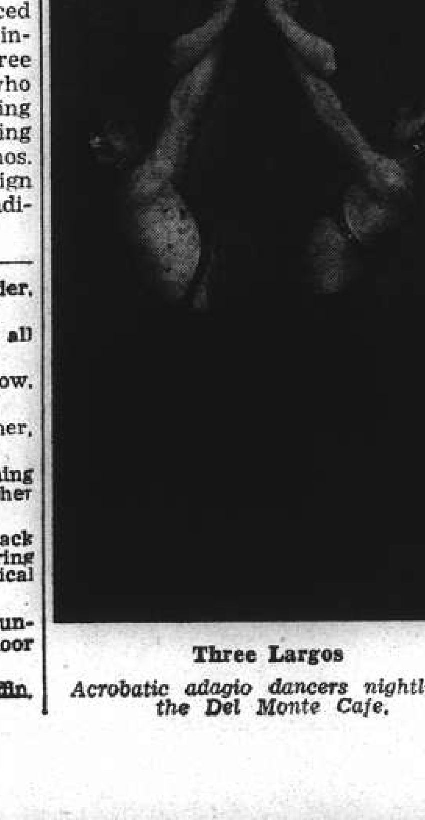
Repeat performances are fixed for June 16 and 18.

New Orchestra Leader

The management of Farrens point with pride to the musical versatility of their new orchestra leader, Mr. Kahn, who during the first week of engagement, has delighted patrons of the establishment. An accomplished musician, he directs the band with skill and dexterity.

Headlining the show are Lantzoff and Svetlanova, who will change their programme tomorrow night. Their splendid terpsichorean technique, combined with startling costumes, makes of them a splendid team. The Kulpa Sisters, a trio, also will tomorrow present a complete change of routine, which will include a triple and two doubles numbers.

The effect of the increased temperature is mitigated to the necessary degree by Farrens air-cooling and air-conditioning system.



Three Largos

Acrobatic adagio dancers nightly at the Del Monte Cafe.

Pelican Makes Debut Tomorrow Night

New Night Club in Cathay Hotel Building

Tomorrow night Shanghai's newest and most modern night club makes its début to dancing and dining enthusiasts of the port—of course direct reference is made to the Pelican, which will be housed on the eighth floor of the Cathay Hotel. The premises, done in marine colours will utilize a portion of the ballroom and the huge cocktail foyer in the front portion of the building are air-conditioned and air-cooled. Little advance notice is being given out by the management and great interest attaches itself to tomorrow night's formal opening.

The two G-men, Geza and Gino, syncopating and singing pianists, will dominate the orchestra, assisted by Bocharoff and Schlittner, while Raya Bershadskaya is to sing. Personal attention is the slogan of Arthur Gottlieb, manager.

The Tower closes for the summer tonight.

Box Office Results

It is a perennial trouble among those who run cinemas to find out what the public want and will pay for. A certain amount of assistance is given them by annual votes of the public. Such a vote has recently been taken by one of the most popular English papers devoted to film news. Their very numerous readers have been asked to state the actor and actress who have given the best screen performances during 1938. At the top of the list comes Margaret Sullavan for her performance in "Three Comrades" and Charles Boyer for Napoleon in "Marie Walewska."

There are other interesting results in this ballot which has been taken annually for seven years. One of them throws light on the position of Greta Garbo in the estimation of the film public. Both last year and the year before Greta Garbo came second in the list and has been the most consistently successful during the seven years.

An actor who seems to be a consistent favourite is Spencer Tracy, who is second for 1938 and was top of the list for 1937. In the 1938 list Deanna Durbin appears twice in the first ten, for her performances in "100 Men and a Girl" and "Mad About Music," while in 1937 she was fourth in the list for "Three Smart Girls" following Norma Shearer for her performance in "Romeo and Juliet."

Boyer and Dunne Again

Encouraged doubtless by the tremendous success, artistic as well as financial, of "Love Affair," the producers have decided that Charles Boyer and Iren Dunne shall appear together in "Modern Cinderella, their next picture. The title sounds a trifle ominous, but the story doesn't much matter when the direction and the performances are as good as in "Love Affair." One hopes that the two stars will again be blessed with the same director.

It does seem that in Charles Boyer and Irene Dunne the screen has discovered the perfect pair. Their performances are balanced to a nicety. Each of them knows how to make the most of pointed dialogue although Boyer is speaking a language not his own. It is interesting to note that it is America which has made the discovery of Boyer's lighter nature. In French films as on the French stage he made a distinguished name as an actor in intensely dramatic parts. Somehow the lighter Boyer seems the more attractive.

Katherine Alexander, who, two years ago, appeared as Ian Hunter's divorced wife and Freddie Bartholomew's mother in "The Devil is a Sissy," (also known as "The Devil Take the Count"), has returned to Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer to be teamed with Hunter a second time in the Jeanette MacDonald musicale, "Broadway Serenade."

New Doumer Theatre Opened on Sunday

Cine-goers in the French Concession and the inner Western district region are fortunate in having enterprising partners open the Doumer Theatre at Route Doumer, the premises formerly being occupied by Jimmy's. The theatre was opened on Sunday. Utilizing the former ballroom as a base, the premises have been extended away from the road and an inclined floor has been constructed. It is to be noted that an air-cooling system will be installed within 30 days.

A new form of wall construction, an enlarged style of stucco work, makes for excellent acoustic qualities, of which, with a modern system of reproduction, nothing more need be said. Special seating arrangements makes craning of necks and twisting of heads unnecessary. Each row of seat is offset the width of half a seat. A large foyer and convenient exists, fully approved by the fire authorities, add much.

The management provides second run pictures at moderate prices.

"The Road to Rome"

It is interesting and satisfactory news to know that Clark Gable and Myrna Loy will appear together in a film version of Robert Sherwood's stage comedy "The Road to Rome." In this Gable will play the part of Hannibal, the Carthaginian general, whose reason for abandoning his march on Rome has puzzled historians but is explained in the play by the feminine wiles of the beautiful Roman lady to be played by Miss Loy.

Apparently a number of Miss Loy's admirers are troubled about the present phase of her film life. Owing to her association on the screen with Mr. William Powell she has earned the name of "The Perfect Wife." But of late her perfection and her morals have suffered a marked decline. In "The Rains Came" and "Sea of Grass" she breaks quite a number of commandments and appears to be reverting to her original state when she was the screen's first vamp. "The Road to Rome" will do nothing to restore her to impeccability.

The Film in Studio 13

Anna Neagle and Herbert Wilcox defied superstition when they began the filming of "Edith Cavell."

For the first shots were made yesterday, May 13, in studio No. 13 of the R.K.O. unit.

The first scene to be taken was that of Edith Cavell entering her death-cell after being sentenced by the Germans to be shot for alleged espionage in Brussels.

Standing by the cameras was Guy Ignon, a former member of the French secret service.

Ignon, then aged 20 occupied a cell over that of Edith Cavell in 1915, and he sang the "Marsellaise" as she was taken out to be executed.

Ignon, who was also convicted of espionage, was reprieved on account of his youth.

He is now a painter living in California. He will play a part in the film and act as technical adviser.

"Secret Service of the Air"

This dramatic picture comes next to the Grand Theatre.

"What a Life"

"What a Life" has started at Paramount with little of the apprehension that surrounds the transference of most plays to the screen in evidence. The Clifford Goldsmith piece afforded no censorship problem such as Hollywood is accustomed to in filming a stage production, for, aside from three "damns" and Henry's error in turning two pages at once while reading "Hamlet" aloud, there is nothing in the Charles Brackett-William Wilder script at which the Hays office can raise its eyebrows.

Supporting Jackie Cooper as Henry Aldrich are three members of the Manhattan troupe, Betty Field as Barbara Pearson, James Corner as George Bigelow and Vaughan Glaser as Mr. Bradley.

The exteriors will be filmed at a high school, where 400 students will be used as extras, a waiver having been secured from the Screen Actors Guild. They will be paid regulation wages of $8.25 a day, $16.50 when they dress for a party sequence and the half-dozen who speak being paid the customary $25. When it was announced at assembly that they would be permitted to work, the students all cheered.

American History

Dr. James T. Shotwell, Bryce Professor of the History of International Relations at Columbia University, has coped with Hollywood and, the indications are, has triumphed over the forces of glamour and the movies' conception of history. Dr. Shotwell was asked by the industry to aid in preparation of "It Shall Not Perish," an Americanization film composed of scenes clipped from the many pictures that have dealt on a touch-and-go basis with the history of the United States. He learned that the screen's interest in the past is more romantic than academic, but succeeded in showing the dramatic interest in phases of American history that had escape attention before. The film, which will be shown at both the New York and San Francisco World Fairs, as completed reflects this broader outlook.

The picture, which was made with the blessing and assistance of the Hays office and which will be nine or ten reels in length, was produced by Cecil B. De Mille, with the modern portions directed by Mall St. Clair. The mechanics of the story, which will permit the use of historic scenes, involve a family group discussing America, with each member telling what he believes to be the most important incident in the life of the country.

The editors who compiled the historical sequences scanned more than 200,000 feet of film. They discovered hat Hollywood has overlooked a great deal of the colonial period and that the Mexican War has been inadequately represented on the screen. Through the means of a narrator, these lapses will be covered up. Details of the production are being guarded with care, but the Hays office expects to make a complete report upon the state of America before the end of the month.

"Manon Lescaut"

Another actress who, according to rumour, is about to plunge into moral delinquency is Merle Oberon, who shortly will start on a new film version of "Manon Lescaut." This particular courtezan seems to have attracted the writers of plays, the composers of operas and the makers of films in a quite extraordinary manner. So far as films are concerned Manon was played in the silent days by Dolores Costello.

But the outstanding film version was the German one with Lya de Putti in the title rôle. This was a performance which in its uncompromising realism would probably be heavily censored today. In the silent days censorship in some ways was by no means so strict as it is now, of course there was no dialogue to trouble anybody, but the acting was at times sufficiently frank to upset Mr. Will Hays beyond endurance. The present stringency has called for protest from Miss Claudette Colbert on the ground that her "Zaza" was so cut as to be open to a fair charge of insipidity.

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Opening Day of League Tennis

Second Division Begins; Recs Defeat Police While Japanese Beat French Club

THE Shanghai Lawn Tennis League began yesterday with five matches in the Second Division being played off. Four of the contests finished by comfortable margins, with the victory scored by the Shanghai Recreation Club, last year's champions, over the visiting S.M. Police Recreation Club "B" squad proving most decisive at 12 to 3.

On the courts of the Association Sportive Francaise, the Police "A" were defeated by the odd set in fifteen. The Frenchmen took three of the five doubles matches, with the issue hanging on two pairs when Slobodchikoff and Favacho beat Major Bourne and Gash in one of the sets by 9-7 and Tchakalian and Rossuet defeated Eardley and Crank in the fourth pair by another 9-7 set.

Clube Lusitano took the measure of the German Garden Club on their own grounds by 11 to 4. The Portuguese lost the first two doubles but came back to garner the remaining three. Leitao and Passos engaged Berg and Schroeder in the first doubles in which the battle was hard fought. The Portuguese began well and won the opening set by 6-4. In the second set the Germans scored a win by an identical score and then finished off with a 6-3 victory in the third and deciding frame.

A similar victory was scored by the Swiss Club over the Waterworks on the Swiss grounds, the home team losing but one doubles as Taussig and Beurgin fell victims at the hands of Tony Fonseca and Pintos in the day's most hard fought tussle which ended with a score of 5-7, 8-10 and 8-6.

The Japanese Tennis Club proved the team to be watched this season as they trounced the Cercle Sportif Francais soundly by ten sets to five. Although playing on their opponents' courts, the Japanese successfully went through the five matches, winning three and losing two. It was in the first and fifth doubles that the French team scored. Judah and Blum took three straight sets from Sujita and Majima while Crow and Cabanis overcame Inada and Harada by 3-2.

A good contest was witnessed in the fourth pair between J. S. Flood and P. F. Bleyer and the Japanese couple, Shoji and Ura. The first two sets resulted in 6-8 and 5-7 in favour of the visitors, who proved to be lucky winners by winning points in crucial moments. The French team were unable to last the third set because of their opponents' persistent pressure and lost one-sidedly by 6-1.

A.S.F. 8; Police "A" 7

Aynie and Turnbull lost to Petroff and Chooklantzeff 6-2, 3-6, 4-6.
Slobodchikoff and Favacho beat Major Bourne and Gash 6-3, 9-7, 2-6.
Fabre and Chailian lost to Victal and Trokian 4-6, 1-6, 2-6.
Tchakalian and Bossuet beat Eardley and Crank 6-1, 6-2, 9-7.
Remond and Laudignon beat McLorn and Fairbairn 6-1, 4-6, 6-3.

Recs 12; Police "B" 3

F. Kermani and T. Oliveira beat Crawford and Turner 6-4, 6-0, 6-3.
E. Brodd and R. C. Murray beat Yorke and Stassrechuk 6-4, 6-1, 6-2.
T. J. Aldeguer and T. Mohideen beat Reinberg and Bulpin 0-6, 6-3, 7-5.
P. Kermani and J. Leriou lost to Bader and Peasgood 3-6, 6-4, 6-8.
H. Hayward and R. Manley beat Oakley and Biggs 6-3, 6-3, 6-1.

Lusitano 11; Germans 4

A. Leitao and C. L. Passos lost to Berg and Schroeder 6-4, 4-6, 3-6.
P. A. da Costa and A. C. Sequeira lost to Groesser and Westphalen 1-6, 6-4, 5-7.
S. Noodt and H. A. S. da Souza beat Soenksen and Remelle 6-4, 6-3, 6-2.
A. Rozario and V. A. S. de Souza beat Nimphius and Walliser 6-2, 6-1, 6-2.
A. P. Diniz and V. O. Remedios beat Meyer and Schultz 6-2, 10-8, 6-3.

C.S.F. 5; Japanese 10

Judah and Blum beat Sujita and Majima 6-0, 7-5, 10-8.
Wilson and Spunt lost to Tajima and Hirano 1-6, 2-6, 5-7.
Loonis and Shaffer lost to Schmidzu and Nomura 2-6, 3-6, 3-6.
Bleyer and Flood lost to Shoji and Ura 6-8, 5-7, 1-6.
Crow and Cabanis beat Inada and Harada 6-1, 3-6, 12-10.

Swiss 11; Waterworks 4

Taussig and Beurgin lost to B. Pintos and A. Fonseca 5-7, 8-10, 8-6.
Mottu and Rojdestensky beat R. O. Baker and Wolnizer 1-6, 6-4, 6-2.
Duff and Pfanner beat T. M. Collaco and A. C. Collaco 6-3, 6-4, 6-3.
Leslie and Getz beat B. V. Silva and G. B. Collaco 6-2, 2-6, 9-7.
Baxter and Froemel beat C. Collaco and M. A. Collaco 6-3, 6-4, 7-5.

Briton Sets New Track Record

Wooderson Runs Three-Quarters of a Mile in Astonishing Time

Manchester, June 7.

On the eve of his departure for his big test in the United States, Sydney Wooderson, the British holder of the world mile record, established a new mark for the three-quarters of a mile at Manchester, covering the distance in 2 minutes 59.5 seconds.

The former record was 3 mins. 0.8 seconds, set up by the American, Wayne Rideout.

In tip-top condition, the bespectacled British runner is sailing for America today to compete in the Princeton "Mile of the Century" against America's best milers.

The race will take place at the world-famous Princeton Bowl on June 17, and Wooderson is said to have made his plans for the event. It will be the third "Mile of the Century." The other two, one in 1935 and another in 1936, were staged specially for Jack Lovelock, the New Zealander.

Wooderson's season this year will probably end in another of those thrilling races at the meeting organized by the Blackheath Harriers at the end of August. Plans are also afoot to match him with A.G.K. Brown, the British Olympic runner, over half a mile.—Reuter.

Strong Rivals in U.S.

Charles Fenske, of Wisconsin, and Louis Zamperini, of California, two of the best middle-distance runners in America, will be probable opponents of Wooderson and Glen Cunningham, of America, in the Princeton Mile on June 17.

Friends of Wooderson are confident that he is going to break his own world's record of 4 min. 6.4 sec.

They were confident he would break the mile record in 1937, when many other people thought the effort would fail, and the same confidence was not misplaced when Wooderson tackled the world's half-mile record last August.

Even now they think a mile in 4 min. 4 sec. can be expected from Wooderson on June 17 at Princeton.

Wooderson will not commit himself to this extent. But he is certainly going out for a new record.

"It depends," he said, "on the weather conditions on the day of the race, and how the race is run. My first concern is to win, of course; if there is a slow first quarter I shall have to suit my tactics for a win and let thoughts of a record go.

"If there is any chance of a new world figure for the mile I shall try to be the one to set it up."—Reuter.

Canidrome Results

1—440 yd. flat.—1, Wee Lil; 2, Black Duchess.
Also ran:—The Mate, Harward, Leopard, Gay Lad.
6 lengths.—Time, 27.54.
Win, $47.60. Forecast (6-4) Div. $144.60.
Place, 1st $24.10; 2nd $12.80.
2—500 yd. flat.—1, Chop Suey; 2, Dainty Maid.
Also ran:—Pokerlaw, Adowa, Jacqueline, Simple Simon.
1 length.—Time, 31.64.
Win, $29.50. Forecast (3-6) Div. $284.00.
Place, 1st $17.40; 2nd $8.40.
Double Event 1/2 (6-3) Div. $137.70.
3—500 yd. flat.—1, Chinli Grey Wolf; 2, Flirting Fan.
Also ran:—Phosmin II, Rio Princess, Pearl's Fancy, Vita Spermin.
1½ length.—Time, 31.53.
Win, $39.60. Forecast (4-6) Div. $193.60.
Place, 1st $18.00; 2nd $12.50.
Double Even 2/3 (3-4) Div. $389.30.
4—500 yd. flat.—1, Slippery Sam; 2, Wild Flover.
Also ran:—Winsome Maid, Dah Chong, Send'm Along, Simple Dale.
3 lengths.—Time, 31.11.
Win, $37.40. Forecast (3-1) Div. $97.80.
Place, 1st $8.50; 2nd $9.00.
Double Event 3/4 (4-3) Div. $88.70.
5—500 yd. flat.—1, Speed Cop; 2, Apollo II.
Also ran:—Swallow, Speedwing, Joan, Tip Top.
4½ lengths.—Time, 30.55.
Win, $21.20. Forecast (2-3) Div. $132.70.
Place, 1st $9.50; 2nd $15.20.
Double Event 4/5 (3-2) Div. $102.00.
6—500 yd. flat.—1, Our Hope; 2, Jasmine.
Also ran:—Fearless Foe, Aidyn Wild, Barney, Brigand.
1½ length.—Time, 31.03.
Win, $25.60. Forecast (5-6) Div. $174.50.
Place, 1st $13.70; 2nd $17.10.
Double Event 5/6 (2-5) Div. $57.40.
7—500 yd. flat.—1, Jack O'Lantern; 2, Grumpy.
Also ran:—Go By, Pearl's Pet, Red Terror, Lucky Polly.
1 length.—Time, 30.72.
Win, $33.50. Forecast (1-5) Div. $141.30.
Place, 1st $16.90; 2nd $14.80.
Dougle Event 6/7 (5-1) Div. $56.70.
8—500 yd. flat.—1, Talesman; 2, Mars.
Also ran:—Wiiful Bill, Shenkoland II, Erin Beau, Black Euchantress.
2 lengths.—Time, 30.23.
Win, $25.60. Forecast (5-4) Div. $60.50.
Place, 1st $10.50; 2nd $9.50.
Double Event 7/8 (1-5) Div. $77.90.
9—500 yd. flat.—1, Rosie O'Hara; 2, Bandit.
Also ran:—Dou Juan, O'Branagan, Luhai Lily, Sir Sewu.
2½ lengths.—Time, 30.38.
Win, $36.70. Forecast (2-4) Div. $280.70.
Place, 1st $14.90; 2nd $14.20.
Double Event 8/9 (5-2) Div. $57.60.
10—500 yd. flat.—1, King Chu Ber; 2, Talgai Junior.
6½ lengths.—Time, 29.80.
Win, $34.70. Forecast (2-1) Div. $150.10.
Place, 1st $15.40; 2nd $13.60.
Double Event 9/10 (2-2) Div. $138.70.
11—525 yd. flat.—1, Copalet; 2, Gold Brick.
Short head.—Time, 31.29.
Win, $25.70. Forecast (2-3) Div. $86.40.
Place, 1st $8.90; 2nd $9.80.
Double Event 10/11 (2-2) Div. $86.30.
12—525 yd. flat.—1, Irish Lover; 2, Pearlman.
5 length.—Time, 31.03.
Win, $22.10. Forecast (2-1) Div. $33.20.
Place, 1st $10.30; 2nd $17.50.
Double Event 11/12 (2-2) Div. $42.50.

Olympic Games Congress Opens in London

Duke of Gloucester Makes First Address

London, June 6.

The Congress of the International Olympic Committee was opened by the Duke of Gloucester at St. James's Palace today in the presence of representatives of 28 nations, many members of the Diplomatic Corps, and figures famous in the world of sport.

In the course of his speech, the Duke said that, as vice-patron of the British Olympic Association, he regarded it as a pleasure and a privilege to extend the most cordial of welcomes to the delegates of the international committee.

"The growing realisation of the importance of physical fitness and sane interest in sport," he said, "is shared alike by all the nations represented here today. To promote friendly rivalry in athletic contests, with all the qualities of true sportsmanship it denotes—such as respect for one's opponent, modesty in victory, and fortitude in defeat—is the most important task of the International Olympic movement."

Other speakers included Earl de la Warr, Minister of Education, who said that the British Government had embarked on a programme of improving facilities for sport and recreation which would involve a heavy expenditure.—Reuter.

Tokyo, June 7.

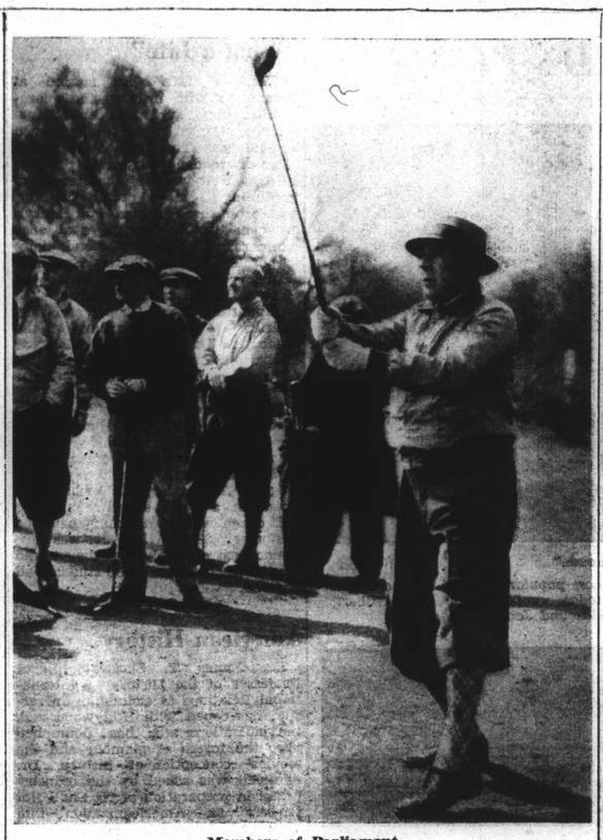
The Olympics Committee of Tokyo Municipality has decided to request the International Olympics Committee, now meeting in London, to decide on the Japanese capital as the venue of the 1944 Olympic Games.

These same circles have also decided to seek representation on the International Olympics Committee, since Japan is at present totally unrepresented.—Trans-Ocean.

New Japanese Members

London, June 6.

The International Olympic Committee elected two new Japanese members today to represent their country. The two were M. Nagai and Dr. Pakaishi.—Havas.



Members of Parliament

Taking their minds off the tense European situation, golfing Members of Parliament indulge in their annual golf tournament at Walton Heath. Sir John Anderson, Miniser of Civil Defence, drives off from the first tee.

Series of Marathon Runs Arranged

First One Over Thirteen Miles on Sunday

Of interest will be the following programme of marathon runs whereby China hopes to pick and send a team to the next Olympic Games. According to Y. T. Liang, captain of the Hongkew Cross-country Club, the first of the four big Marathon runs—consisting of 13 miles and sponsored by the above-mentioned Club—will be run off this Sunday at 7.15 a.m. This run has been postponed for several weeks on account of the inclement weather and because of the participation of some would-be runners in the Track and Field Meets.

The number of names received came to no fewer than 147, of which 130 will be Chinese runners. The test will comprise of two members from the East Surrey Regiment and a team of men from the French Forces. Another foreigner participating will be W. Beck who has attended several races already.

The run will be in the nature of a junior championship and the usual favourites are T. L. Wong, Pte. D. Clemens, and K. F. Liu while L. Chang, Jiagelsky, Sugot, B. K. Zee, Beck, S. J. Chow, A. A. Lee, Boy Hudson, K. S. Van and W. Y. Koo are stated to be quite able to apply pressure to the favourites and are known to be able to keep up with them.

To run the whole thirteen miles once over does not seem possible at the present time so the officials have decided that runners run twice over the western route of the course. The route is as follows:—

Start and finish at the corner of Bubbling and Yates Roads by the Shanghai Middle School. The runners will then proceed to Yu Yuen Road, Keswick Road, Tunsin Road, Great Western Road, Avenue Haig, Tifeng Road, and again Yu Yuen Road, Keswick Road, Tunsin Road, then along Great Western Road, Edinburgh Road, Avenue Haig, Avenue Foch, Weihaiwei Road, Moulmein Road and then back along Bubbling Well Road, Burkill Road and Chengtu Road, and then into the playground of the Shanghai Middle School where the runners must run round three times before finishing. All participants are requested to arrive early at the School where numbers will be given out. As the route seems somewhat difficult it is presumed that some official will keep a certain distance ahead of the runners thereby causing no misunderstanding. Mr. J. J. Walsh will start the runners off.

The next three runs will take place in the following respective order:—a 17-mile run on September 17, 1939, 21-mile run on December 24, 1939 and the concluding race on March 24, 1940, which will consist of 26 miles, 385 yards.

Police Cricket Side

The following team will represent the Police on Saturday at 1.30 p.m. on the S.C.C. ground in the League game against the Stragglers:

E. C. Baker (capt.), H. A. Sevenoaks, B. B. Boddy, F. A. Pitts, T. H. Darvill, A. Abbott, C. J. Merritt, J. Dudley, J. E. Fairbairn, S. V. Gash and F. Peasgood. Reserves: W. H. Baldock, J. Crank and F. W. Bader. Umpire: P. J. Hart. Scorer: L. W. Hide.

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Kent Beat Sussex With Ease

High Scores Knocked Up In County Cricket; Five Individual Centuries

London, June 6.

Despite generally high scores, the three County Cricket championship matches concluded late today yielded definite results.

Knocking up the huge total of 580 runs for nine wickets, Kent beat Sussex by an innings and 121 runs, while Somerset defeated Worcester by ten wickets and Essex overcame Northants by six wickets.

The friendly match between Cambridge and Leicester ended in a draw after the two teams had mustered 941 runs between them in their first innings. There were no less than five individual centuries.

Chalk, of Kent, was outstanding among batsmen with a flawless 198.

Details of matches:

At Peterborough—Essex beat Northants by six wickets. Northants 186 (Peter Smith five for 64) and 335. Essex 298 and 227 for four.

At Tonbridge—Kent beat Sussex by an innings and 121 runs. Sussex 95 (Watt four for 38) and 364 (John Langridge 160, Harry Parks 127, Wright eight for 84). Kent 580 for nine declared (Chalk 198, Todd 143, C. Oakes eight for 147).

At Taunton—Somerset beat Worcester by ten wickets. Worcester 254 (Cooper 102) and 254. Somerset 443 (Gimblett 129, Buse 103) and 69 for the loss of no wicket.

At Cambridge—Cambridge drew with Leicester. Leicester 410 (Armstrong 131, Prentice 163 not out) and 187 for seven. Cambridge 531 (F. G. Mann 128, Thompson 130, Broadhurst 111).—Reuter.

Home Run Record Established

New York Giants Pound Out Five in One Inning; Yankees Trounced Again by Tigers

New York, June 6.

A MODERN record was set by the New York Giants this afternoon when they knocked five home runs in the fourth inning, which accounted mostly for the 17 to 3 victory they achieved over league leading Cincinnati Reds. The home-run parade was participated in by Harry Danning and Frankie Demaree, whose blows came with two aboard, and were followed by Burgess Whitehead, Manuel Salvo and Joe Moore in that order.

The local lads collected an even twenty bingles, not the least prominent victim of which was the great Johnny Vander Meer, who started on the mound for the Reds.

The St. Louis Cardinals gained on the Reds by beating the Bees at Boston in ten innings, 5-3.

Costly Errors

Two errors by infielder Eddie Miller in the extra inning gave the game away to the Cards. Boston committed four errors during the afternoon.

Art Whitney's pinch single in the ninth inning enabled the Philadelphia Phillies to beat the Chicago Cubs, 9-8. The Phillies collected eighteen hits off the offerings of four Chicago hurlers.

At Brooklyn, the Dodgers trimmed the Pittsburgh Pirates, 5-2. Pete Cascarat knocked a home run with one on in the second inning, while his mates drove in three more runs in the fifth.

In the American League, the champion Yankees suffered their second straight defeat at the hands of the Detroit Tigers, 6-2.

The Tigers clinched the game with a six run assault in the sixth inning while Buck Newsom limited the Yanks to four hits. The Tigers touched three New York pitchers for eleven safeties.

Nick Ferrell's two base smash with the bags loaded in the ninth inning enabled the Washington Senators to defeat the St. Louis Browns, 10-7.

Heavy Hitting

Bob Estalella also starred at bat for the victors, knocking a home run in the first inning besides contributing two singles and a double.

At Chicago, the White Sox trounced the Philadelphia Athletics by the score of 7 to 4. Pitcher Bill Deitrich helped himself to a homer while "Gee" Walker banged another. Both blows came with a mate on base.

Late inning rallies by the Cleveland Indians accounted for their 8 to 7 triumph over the Boston Red Sox. The Indians tied the score at eight-all in the eighth frame, and drove the winning tally across in the home half of the ninth on Oscar Grimes' double.

National League

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	3	11	0
New York*	17	20	0
Batteries: Vander Meer, Davis, Livengood, Thompson and Lombardi; Salvo and Danning.			
Chicago	8	14	2
Philadelphia	9	18	2
Batteries: Page, Lillard, J. Russell, French and Hartnett; Johnson, Schott, Beck and Davis.			
Pittsburgh	2	10	0
Brooklyn	5	12	0
Batteries: Bowman and Berres; Fitzsimmons and Phelps.			
St. Louis**	5	11	0
Boston	3	9	4
Batteries: Davis and Owen; Schoffner and Lopez.			

*—Broke world's record for home runs in single inning when Danning, Demaree, Whitehead, Salvo and Moore homered in the fourth inning.
**—Ten innings.

American League

Philadelphia	4	10	0
Chicago	7	12	1
Batteries: Caster, Pippen and Brucker; Dietrich, Brown and Rensa.			
New York	2	4	1
Detroit	6	11	1
Batteries: Hildebrand, Russo, Sundra and Dickey; Newsom and York.			
Boston	7	8	4
Cleveland	8	14	1
Batteries: Auker, Heving and Peacock; Drake, Broaca, Zuber and Hemsley.			
Washington	10	12	1
St. Louis	7	11	1
Batteries: Leonard, Appleton and Ferrell; Lawson, Mills, Kimberlin, Glenn and Spendel.			

Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cincinnati	29	15	.659
St. Louis	24	17	.585
Pittsburgh	22	21	.512
Chicago	22	21	.512
Brooklyn	21	20	.512
New York	20	24	.455
Boston	16	25	.390
Philadelphia	15	26	.366

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	33	9	.786
Boston	23	16	.590
Chicago	24	18	.571
Cleveland	22	19	.537
Detroit	19	24	.442
Philadelphia	17	25	.405
Washington	16	26	.381
St. Louis	13	30	.302

—United Press.

Jockey's Plane Overturns

London, (By Mail).

Making a landing on Uttoxetter racecourse, a plane piloted by F. Rickaby, the jockey, collided with a hedge and overturned. There were two passengers in the plane, and both escaped unhurt. Rickaby's nerve was apparently unshaken, for he later rode in the meeting, but without success.—Reuter.

A.P.C. Tackles Jardine's This Afternoon

Inter-Hong Cricket to Continue

Continuing the series of inter-Hong cricket matches, the Asiatic Petroleum Company are to play Jardine, Matheson in a two-day game beginning today and continuing tomorrow with play starting at 5 p.m. sharp on each day on the Shanghai Cricket Club ground.

The A.P.C. team will comprise C. Woolhouse, E. D. Nash, F. B. Elliott, P. J. A. Innes, J. C. Pullen, H. F. B. Gardener, E. C. Read, C. Appelboom, A. L. Piper, J. W. Mansel-Smith E. E. Hudson and D. W. Morrison. The umpire will be A. J. Daniels and the scorer, A. J. H. Carey.

Jardine's team, which defeated the Waterworks recently, is expected to be much the same as in the last match.

Klein Free Agent

Philadelphia, June 6.

Chuck Klein, ten-year-man in the major leagues, was told by Philadelphia officials today that he was a free agent and could deal with any club he wished. Klein won the National League batting title in 1930 with .386.—United Press.

Dodgers Fail to Get Ace Outfielder

Cleveland, June 6.

An attempt by the Brooklyn Dodgers to purchase Earl Averill, veteran flychaser, from the Cleveland Indians has fallen flat, it was announced today.—United Press.

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Baseball League Play Begins on Saturday

Amateurs to Meet First Battalion Nine

The first baseball game in the 1939 City Baseball League will get under way this Saturday afternoon on the Race Course diamond when the Amateurs are to meet the First Battalion, present holders of the championship, starting at 3.30 p.m.

Both teams have been seen in action over the past week-end. The Amateurs walloped the U.S.S. Oahu on Saturday by 14-1 while the First Battalion trounced the U.S.S. Augusta on Sunday by 15-7. With the return of Joe Honeycutt, veteran pitcher, the civilians possess a strong hurling staff as, in addition to Honeycutt, there are Al Huebner and George Adams.

The First Battalion are rather weak in the battery as both pitchers, Davis and Lefty Houston, failed to settle down against the "Auggies" even when the sailors were not in batting form. The handicap in pitching should give the Amateurs a good chance to make a successful start in this year's campaign.

On Sunday there will be a double-header and the Amateurs will be seen in the nightcap against the Navy at 4 p.m. In the curtainraiser the Second Battalion will meet Headquarters.

Navy Practice Game

The Navy had a thorough practice yesterday afternoon at the Race Course when a team from the U.S.S. Oahu played a side from the U.S.S. Luzon in which the former emerged victorious by a score of 6-2.

Bunching their hits in the second and third innings the U.S.S. Oahu team tallied all the six runs. The Luzon players only managed to gain one run in the second frame and then wound up the seventh inning with another run.

There is the possibility of seeing some of the U.S.S. Augusta men in action on the Navy team this Sunday. In that case the Amateurs will be given stiff opposition and the contest should prove extremely interesting.

American Wins French Amateur Golf Title

St. Germain, June 6.

Repeating his fine form of yesterday Richard Chapman, of the United States, won the French amateur open golf championship here today without being greatly extended. He beat Jacques Leglise, winner of the championship in 1937, in the final by five up and four to play. In the semi-final the Frenchman eliminated the last Englishman, Harry Bentley, winner in 1931 and 1932, by one up, while Chapman upset L. Brisson, of France, by 4 and 3. In the recent British amateur golf championship, Chapman defeated his compatriot, Charles Yates.—Reuter.

Seekingjao June Monthly Cup

Pratt and Stevenson Take Major Honours

The June Monthly Cup Competition was played at Seekingjao over last week under ideal conditions. Good scores were returned in both "A" and "B" Classes. The winner of "A" Class A. Pratt, returned a net score of one under Par for the couse with the second place tied for by J. A. Grubb, L. D. Carson and I. F. Aucott with net scores of Par figures.

In the "B" Class J. Stevenson won with a score of two under Par.

"A" CLASS

A. Pratt	79— 8=71
J. A. Grubb	77— 5=72*
L. D. Carson	79— 7=72*
I. F. Aucott	80— 8=72*
W. H. C. Huggett	77— 4=73
J. S. MacDonald	82— 8=74
A. Germ	83— 9=74
A. J. Clark	86—12=74

"B" CLASS

J. Stevenson	83—13=70
J. A. Tibble	99—22=77
W. Russell	103—24=79

*—Tie.

Tie to be replayed for Second prize Captain Cup Qualifying Round.

Mrs. Moody Not to Play

New York, June 6.

Mrs. Helen Wills Moody announced today she would not defend her women's tennis championship at Wimbledon this year because she does not feel her playing is up to standard. She has won the Wimbledon title eight times, more than any other living player.—United Press.

Shanghai Golf Club

The members are advised that the 3 and 4-Ball Matches may tee off on Sunday, June 11, after 11 a.m. instead of after noon as usual.

German Explorers Meet With Accident

Berlin, June 7.

The German explorers, Herr Noss and Herr Grewe, have met with a serious accident, according to meager reports received here. A telegram received from Bengasi states that Herr Grewe and an Italian interpreter with the expedition, which is in the Sahara Desert, have fallen victim to a dosert tragedy, the nature of which is not yet known, while Herr Noss is in hospital in a serious condition.—Trans-Ocean.

Six Republican Ships Returned to Spain

Paris, June 7.

Six former Spanish Republican ships interned at Toulon were returned to Spain yesterday in accordance with the agreement reached some time ago between the French and Spanish governments. Two of the ships are torpedo boats, two are passenger vessels, and two Customs vessels. The torpedo boats were sent back to Spain with thirty tons of torpedos and a quantity of arms and ammunition.—Trans-Ocean.

THE CINEMA

"Block Heads"

Stan Laurel	Himself
Oliver Hardy	Himself
Mrs. Gilbert	Patricia Ellis
Mrs. Hardy	Minna Gombell
Billy Gilbert	Billy Gilbert
Mr. Finn	James Finlayson

Messrs. Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy will delight their many Shanghai fans in their newest production "Block Heads" which opened at the Nanking Theatre yesterday. The film is written and acted according to the lines laid down in one of the goofiest, silliest and most laughable scripts that has ever been written for the two mirth-provoking heroes who, as the present film opens, are comrades-at-arms in the trenches in France in 1917. Early the following year, an attack is planned and just before the zero hour the officer commanding the unit, tells Stan that he will have to stay behind, in charge of the dug-out. Stan stays and stays, patiently eating three tins of bully beef a day and blowing his own bugle before each meal. All of a sudden, one sunny morning, a monoplane flies over the trenches. Stan, the soldier, immediately rushes to the machine-gun and "lets him have it." The plane is hit, the pilot has to land and our marksman is proud of his achievement. A few minutes later, the pilot comes to the dug-out and tells Stan that the war is already over since 20 years. Somewhat reluctantly he leaves the dug-out and on arriving in the United States, is feted as a great hero. By accident, Oliver reads a paper one morning only to find the picture of his earstwhile comrade on the front page, and then the fun starts, although most of the audience at last night's performance would have rather stopped laughing at this point, for fear of having stomach-muscle trouble today. The film is excellent and far better than the last three or four productions in which these two comedians were featured, even though the advertised old war stories are conspicious by their absence.

A number of shorts precede the main feature and "Billy Rose's Casa Manana Revue" is about the cleverest musical short that has been shown in this city for some time, so excellent in fact, that a number of spectators applauded it.—A.S.I.

"The Beachcomber"

Ginger Ted	Charles Laughton
Bertha Jones	Elsa Lanchester
Owen Jones, M. D.	Tyrone Guthrie
The Controlleur	Robert Newton
Lia	Dolly Mollinger
Kati	Rosita Garcia
Sergeant Henrik	J. Solomon
Dutch Sea Captain	Frad Groves
Native Head Clerk	Eliot Makeham
Ho	Mah Foo
A:1 King	Ley On
Albert	D. J. Ward
Mechanic	S. Alley

Directed by Mr. Reich Pommer and starring Mr. Charles Laughton, "The Beachcomber," which opened yesterday at the Cathay, is a picture which the reviewer recommends all to place on their "must list." The star gives one of those matchless performances for which he justly is held in great esteem by the English-speaking world, shading every word with just that delicate touch, which delineates the ordinary star fom a brilliant one. With a role equally as difficult to portray as her real husband's, Miss Elsa Lanchester approaches him in histrionic strength—her role is that of a South Sea missionary, who eventually becomes co-proprietor of a "pub." Special marks also are attached to Messrs. Tyrone Guthrie and Robert Newton. The dialogue writers have handled Somerset Maugham's work with proper appreciation and the situations which are developed and the manner in which they are handled are a tribute to all who had part in the production.

The musical short should not be missed.—F.L.T.

"East Side of Heaven"

Denny Martin	Bing Crosby
Mary Wilson	Joan Blondell
Nicky	Mischa Auer
Mona Barrett	Irene Hervey
Cyrus Barrett, Sr.	C. Aubrey Smith
Claudius De Wolfe	Jerome Cowan
Baby Barrett	"Sandy"
Doorman	J. Farrell MacDonald
Mrs. Travers	Mary Carr
Cyrus Barrett, Jr.	Robert Kent
Fisher	Douglas Wood
Loftus	Arthur Hoyt
Hinkle	Russell Hicks

Melodiously singing his way to new heights, Bing Crosby in "East Side Of Heaven," the Grand Theatre's current attraction, scores another personal triumph, the picture being merely a thinly disguised vehicle for one of his periodical visits to the screen in which he delights with his peculiar brand of "cooing." The plot, if such it may be called, simply revolves around the disappearance of young Baby Barrett, heir to millions and millions, and the distress caused the child's grandfather, grumpily portrayed by Mr. C. Aubrey Smith, who always was at his best in roles of this type. The youngster's part introduces a very infant prodigy to the screen in the shape of "Sandy," who cannot fail, with his loveable antics, to find a spot in the hearts of even the most sophisticated of cinema-goers.

Mr. Crosby, to the delight of his many followers, sings his way through the film in that inimitable way that has made him so deservedly popular and the numbers he renders are quite up to his customary high standard. Mr. Auer and Miss Blondell lend very able support as Mr. Crosby's room-mate and fiancée, their quips and "wisecracking" being splendid foils for the efforts of the principal artist.

A newsreel and an enjoyable cartoon complete a good programme.—P.G.B.

Heavy Damage Caused By Warsaw Fire

Warsaw, June 7.

The total damage caused by the fire which partially destroyed the new central railway station is estimated at about 3,000,000 Zlotys. Contrary to original expectations, it will be impossible to resume traffic to and from the central station and trains will therefore arrive and depart from suburban stations for the time being.—Trans-Ocean.

Agricultural Development Bill Read in Commons

London, June 6.

The Agricultural Development Bill published here tonight aims at securing farmers against low prices for oats, barley and sheep, encouraging farmers to produce goods which the public wants, restoring stability and confidence in agriculture, and assisting the National Defence Bill. It was given its first reading in the House of Commons today.—Reuter.

Four Royal Air Force Crashes in One Day

There were four R.A.F. crashes in a single day in England recently. This picture was taken at Corton, near Lowestoft, when three occupants of a Blenheim bomber had a narrow escape when the machine developed engine trouble two miles out at sea, but the pilot managed to bring the machine to a forced landing 200 yards from the cliff edge.

Moscow to Receive British Reply

Great Britain Expected To Accept Proposals of Soviet

London, June 7.

Britain's reply to the Soviet Note of June 3 would be sent this evening to Sir William Seeds, British Ambassador in Moscow, for communication to the Soviet Government, it was learned last night.

The answer, dealing with proposals and counter-proposals for a tripartite agreement, would be dispatched after approval by the Cabinet.

Jurists established the terms of the Note of reply and drafted them in such manner as to satisfy Soviet Russia's three main objections to previous British plans.

Political quarters declared the British Government would accept Moscow's suggestion not to link the new three-power agreement to the Covenant of the League of Nations specifying only that it be consonant with the aims and principles of the Covenant.

London would also agree that, in case of an emergency, provisions for tripartite consultations would not exclude the rendition of immediate and automatic assistance by one of the three signatories to a threatened guaranteed State.

Various Means

Also, it was stated that Britain would propose to pledge Russia and all her neighbours assistance in case of aggression. Britain would avoid naming the "neighbours," however, and would thus seek to meet Soviet claims without incurring the Baltic nations' objections.

Soviet Russia's western borders would therefore be guaranteed and, at the same time, the small northern States would be unable to complain that they were having unwanted guarantees forced upon them.

At all events, it was emphasized, Soviet Eastern borders would not be involved in the agreement, which would deal solely with the West.—Havas.

Loan to Poland

London, June 6.

Britain would extend £20,000,000 or £30,000,000 credits to Poland to aid Polish artillery and air force rearmament, informed political quarters stated shortly after Count E. Raczynski, Polish Ambassador, called on Premier Neville Chamberlain and Foreign Secretary Lord Halifax today.

This morning's conference was the first since Count Raczynski informed Lord Halifax that Poland required financial assistance to rearm to an extent where she would be able to face any emergency.

At the time the first report was made to the Foreign Secretary, a British military mission headed by Colonel Slayton was inspecting Polish artillery and air force detachments.

This mission has now returned here and has already handed in a complete report of its findings to the British Government. This report will be used as the basis for consideration of Warsaw's request for financial assistance.

Polish quarters insist that construction of heavy artillery pieces and bombing craft for their country must be immediately speeded up.

Progress Made

Informed quarters do not appear to know as yet how Britain will finance Polish rearmament. But they indicated today that probably credits totalling £20,000,000 or £30,000,000 would be extented to Warsaw.

At today's meeting, Premier Chamberlain and Lord Halifax informed the Polish envoy of the progress of parleys with Moscow.

And Count Raczynski assertedly expressed the hope of the Polish Government that negotiations would shortly abut in a tripartite agreement.

Such an accord would greatly contribute to the maintenance of European peace and would probably avert a new crisis in the coming months, the envoy allegedly declared.

Negotiations to transform the present British guarantee into a permanent Anglo-Franco-Polish mutual guarantee pact were also advanced today, it was learned.—Havas.

Soviet View

Moscow, June 7.

"The Pravda" today outlined the Soviet viewpoint in the present negotiations for the conclusion of a tripartite agreement with France and Great Britain.

The paper stated that the pact must be an effective mutual assistance accord. Secondly, the U.S.S.R. is prepared to grant assistance to the five states already guaranteed by France and Great Britain. As a counterpart, London and Paris must undertake to assist the Baltic States in the event of a violation of their neutrality.—Havas.

British Revenue Shows Increase

London, June 7.

Exchequer returns show that total ordinary revenue amounts to £104.-917.148, as compared with £99.653,737 at the corresponding date last year.

Total expenditure, less self-balancing items, is £214.148,653, as compared with £179.809.827 at the corresponding date of 1938.—Wireless through Reuter.

Reich Wants to Check Polish Press

Takes Initiative to Improve Relations

Warsaw, June 7.

Germany has taken the initiative in seeking an improvement in the present relations between Poland and the Reich.

Acting upon instructions from Berlin, Baron von Moltke, the German Ambassador, recently called upon the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs and submitted certain suggestions to this effect, particularly to bring an end to the press campaign in both countries. He requested that the Polish press cease publishing personal attacks against Herr Hitler and insulting cartoons against the Fuehrer.

The Polish Government have not replied so far, and will probably want to know what Germany has to offer as a counterpart.

The interest in this event lies in the fact that Germany took the initiative.

Baron von Moltke, who returned to Warsaw on May 3 on the eve of Col. Joseph Beck's important statement to the Diet has not yet been received by the Polish Foreign Minister.

Meanwhile, political observers here believe that the Polish-German dispute has been relegated temporarily to the background by the Reich. The fact that the Kalthof incident died a natural death proves that this is the Reich's intention.

Poland, however, remains sceptical and is still adopting a vigilant attitude.—Havas.

Czechs Warned Against Anti-German Pamphlets

Police Chief Threatens Severe Punishment

Brno, June 7.

A severe warning to the Czech population that those found spreading anti-German propaganda in the form of pamphlets would receive stiff punishment was given here today by the German Chief of Police.

"Irresponsible Czechs are attempting to circulate anti-German pamphlets," the warning read. "These tracts may entail serious consequences for their authors or for the Czech people themselves. I appeal to the Czech population to refrain from indulging in any anti-German activities owing to the political and legal situation of today. I also appeal for a cessation of the whispering campaign and for aid to the authorities in their struggle against those spreading false reports. The publication and circulation of anti-German pamphlets will entail severe punishment for those found guilty."—Havas.

French General Visits Gibraltar

Gibraltar, June 7.

General Emile Nogues, Resident-General in French Morocco, arrived here today on his official visit.

General Nogues, who arrived by plane, was greeted with a seventeen gun salute. Honours were rendered by a detachment of marines from the battleship H.M.S. Ramillies.

The visiting General drove in an open car through beflagged streets to Government House, cheered on the way by the population.—Havas.

Catholic Priests Ordained

Large Gathering Witnesses Solemn Rites at Zikawei Cathedral

In one of the most solemn ceremonies ever to have taken place in the Zikawei Cathedral, 25 Catholic priests of seven different nationalities were given their ordination by the Bishop yesterday morning. A large gathering of faithful Catholics attended and saw the priests standing in the sanctuary during Mass, clad in white alb and cincture. The ordinandi answered their names as read by the Arochdeacon. After the Archdeacon replied to the Bishop that "as far as human frailty permits it to be known, I do both know and testify that they are worthy of the obligations of this office," the Bishop made a brief allocation before addressing the new priests and reminding them once more of their solemn obligations.

Before being dressed in the sacred vestments of priesthood, the ordinandi lay prostate before the altar, whilst subsequently they had their hands anointed with oil prior to being handed the vessels of altar. Their hands were then cleansed of the holy oil, with bread.

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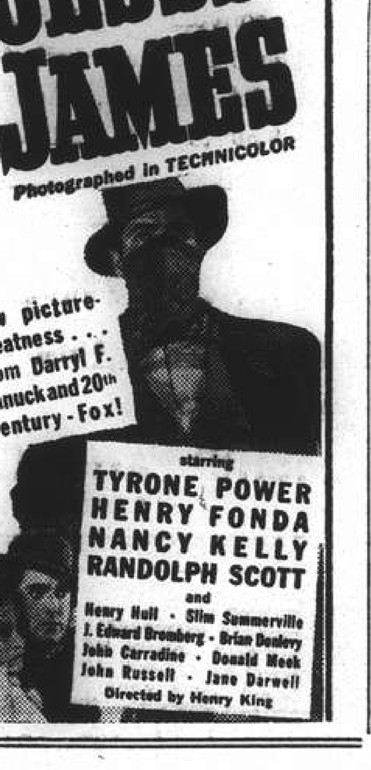

Policy of Saving Encouraged

Japanese Firms in North China Tighten Belts

Peiping, June 7.

Falling in step with a Japanese national campaign for the promotion of savings, the local staff of the Asia Development Board, from Lieut.-Gen. Seiichi Kita, director-general, down to messengers, will save one-tenth of their salaries beginning this month. The amount will be deducted from their salaries or wages and deposited in a bank.

The North China Telephone and Telegraph Company, the North China Transit Company and other firms have also launched movements to promote savings among their staffs.

The buying of Patriotic Bonds will also be encouraged.—Domei.

Bolivia Denies Air Base Rumours

La Paz, June 7.

The Bolivia Foreign Office today denied a report that Germany had obtained an important air base on the Amazon River in exchange for an agreement to rearm the South American country. Government spokesman said that the rumour was a tropical fantasy.

The United States Government yesterday launched an official investigation following persistent rumours of Germany having obtaining a base for expanding German air facilities in South-America.—United Press.

Japanese Diplomat to Get Changchun Post

Tokyo, June 7.

Mr. Shigenori Tashiro, the Japanese Consul-General in Tientsin, it is understood, will be appointed Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs in the Manchoukuo Government.

This appointment, it is stated, will take effect as soon as the present Bureau of Foreign Affairs at Changchun has been raised to a Foreign Ministry.

Negotiations for securing Mr. Tashiro for the post, are said to have been going on with the Japanese Foreign Office.

Mr. Tashiro will be succeeded by Mr. Yoshio Muto, the First Secretary of the Japanese Embassy in London.—Reuter.

Admiral Le Bigot Arrives In Marseilles

Marseilles, June 7.

Vice-Admiral Le Bigot, former Commander in Chief of the French Naval Forces in the Far East, arrived here on the S.S. Marechal Joffre today. He is to report to his Government on the international situation in the Far East.—Havas.

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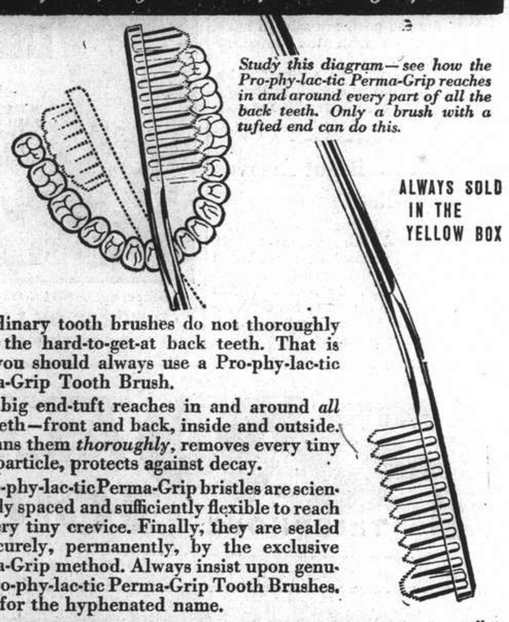

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ENGAGEMENTS

HUEBNER—KIMBALL.—Mr. and Mrs. A. Fleming Kimball announce the engagement of their daughter ARRA-JEAN to ALLYN GILBERT, son of Mr. and Mrs. William David Huebner, of Amberg, Wisconsin, U.S.A. 63219

TAYLOR—LOTSMAN.—The engagement is announced of THOMAS WILLIAM, eldest son of the late Mr. T. Taylor and Mrs. T. Taylor, of Dagenham, Essex, to ZINAIDA, only daughter of the late Mr. A. B. Lotsman and Mrs. A. B. Lotsman of Shanghai. -8142

DEATHS

LEWIS.—On June 6, 1939, at Hongkong, W. A. LEWIS, formerly of the Asiatic Petroleum Co. (N.C.), beloved father of Mr. L. A. Lewis and Mrs. J. H. L. Turner. -8145

MACGREGOR.—On June 7, 1939, at the General Hospital, Shanghai, ARCHIBALD MACGREGOR, aged 52 years, the very dearly loved husband of Florence Madge Macgregor or Pringle. The funeral (cremation) service will be held in the Bubbling Well Cemetery Chapel today, Thursday, June 8, at 4.30 p.m. 13326

TINKLER.—On Wednesday, June 7, 1939, at the Shanghai General Hospital, RICHARD MAURICE TINKLER, aged 41 years, of the China Printing and Finishing Company, Ltd. Removed to the parlours of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road. Funeral services will be held tomorrow, Friday, June 9, 1939, at the Hungjao Road Cemetery at 2.30 p.m. 13321

IN MEMORIAM

HERRGESELL.—In ever loving memory of WILHELM HERRGESELL who passed away June 8, 1933. Gone but not forgotten. -8105

CARDS

Mrs. LAURA FREEMAN wishes to thank all friends for their kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes received in her sad bereavement. 13323

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THE POOTUNG AFFAIR

Correspondents who have written expressing their views on the subject of the incident at Pootung which resulted in the death yesterday morning of Mr. R. M. Tinkler are informed that their communications cannot be printed at the moment. With the opening of the inquest yesterday morning the whole matter has now become *sub judice* and it would be contempt of court to make any comment upon it. It would be as well, however, to remember that the account of the affair which appeared in the local Press yesterday morning was a purely *ex parte* statement by the Japanese officials, and in this connection it may be remembered that one tale is good until another is told. There are, in the statement made by the Japanese spokesman, many matters which will undoubtedly be elucidated in the course of the inquiry which has been commenced by the British authorities, not the least important of which is the omission on the part of the spokesman to make any reference to what happened to Mr. Tinkler save to state that he was hit with the butt end of a rifle by a Japanese sailor. Nothing was said of the stab wounds which it is now alleged were inflicted upon the dead man, nor when they were administered. When the inquest has been completed and the true facts of the case ascertained it will be possible properly to comment on what appears, even on the statements of the Japanese spokesman, and upon what he apparently omitted to say, a very grave matter indeed.

TO THE KING!

Today, the day upon which his birthday is officially celebrated, King George VI will cross the boundaries of the United States, the first British monarch to have done so. That unprecedented event, coming at the end of what has been a triumphal tour of the Canadian Dominion, may very well serve to cement the good understanding which fortunately now prevails between the British Empire and the United States, and if His Majesty and his Consort succeed in endearing themselves to the people he is visiting, it will be because of the charm of the couple, and their embodiment of those virtues which are so dear to right-thinking people. His Majesty possesses those.

....King-becoming graces,
As justice, verity, temperance, stableness,
Bounty, perseverance, mercy, lowliness,
Devotion, patience, courage, fortitude

while of the Queen, it can safely be said that she has

....all the royal makings of a Queen;
As holy oil, Edward Confessor's crown,
The rod, and bird of peace, and all such emblems
Laid nobly on her.

If the people of the United States were of the same mind as they were in 1769, when Junius wrote "they equally detest the pageantry of a king and the supercilious hypocrisy of a bishop," then His Majesty would be running some risk of incurring unpopularity in visiting them as a monarch. But it is clear that it is in the humanity of these two, called upon to surrender their lives to the welfare of their people, that their greatest appeal is to be found to the hearts of that nation of which today they will for a short while be the honoured guests. He goes to them indeed as a king, but as a very human person withal, and a simplicity of manner which should reach the hearts of a people with whom simplicity is still an important ideal.

For the rest with due pageantry which the British love,—and so do the Americans, if the attendance at the changing of the guard at Buckingham Palace means anything at all,—this day will be celebrated in all those lands which bear allegiance to His Majesty. For twenty-four hours, all over that Empire on which the sun never sets, there will be ceremonial necessary to the observance of this important day, and practically at every moment there will somewhere or other be said those words of good wishes and loyalty which His Majesty has inspired in the hearts of his people. It is no easy matter to be a king; it involves a life of self-sacrifice, devotion to ideals and resolution to carry out the heavy burdens which are inevitably the lot of a man who is called upon to accept so high an office, for as Carlyle has so rightly remarked "Every noble crown is and on Earth will forever be, a crown of thorns." This year since this anniversary was last observed has been an anxious one; crises have come and gone, with threats of others to follow. They have been met with that fortitude and calmness which His Majesty in his own person knows so well how to inspire, by that discipline which he himself obeys, for when a king ascends his throne he becomes "slave in his father's stead." Indeed when the amount of territory which Their Majesties have already covered in their present tour, the enormous number of official functions they have had to attend, the wholesale demands which have been made upon their time, and the graciousness with which they have borne their burdens are considered it is sometimes nothing short of marvellous that they have been able to stand the strain. Today as they enter the United States they are embarking upon a new phase of their mission. They go to a people who owe them no allegiance save that which can be extended to men of good will no matter what their race or rank may be. Their every act and word will be watched and heard with keen, but sympathetic interest, and if as a result of their stay there they manage to endear themselves to their hosts in the same manner in which they have captivated the affection of their own subjects there will not be many Britons who will be surprised.

It will come as a result of those qualities of kingship which Ben Jonson so accurately summed up in the following:—

Princes that would their people should do well
Must at themselves begin, as at the head;
For men by their example pattern out
Their imitations, and regard of laws;
A virtuous court a world to virtue draws.

The King and Queen have about them all those virtues which, while some men may scoff at them, are nevertheless held in reverence and esteem. In their lives, in their family they embody the ideals of millions of people in the Empire, in the United States, nay in the whole world where those things which are of good repute are treasured and maintained. This man who thus celebrates his third birthday upon the throne took up a task which was rendered all the more difficult by the splendid example which had been set him by his revered and beloved father and mother. It was not a light task to endeavour to follow in footsteps such as theirs, and it speaks well for His Majesty's early training, and sterling character, that in the short time he has been a monarch, he has met every expectation. It is impossible to believe that any other man could have done better. The appraising gaze of the people who saw him drawn unexpectedly into the fierce light in which he has now to live out his life has changed to one of satisfaction in the knowledge that the Empire has at its head a man whose nobility of character must remain for it an ever potent inspiration. In Shanghai today there will be many functions to celebrate the King's birthday, and many a loyal toast will be drunk with the wish that he may be spared many years during which to reign over the peoples who love and respect him. The British community of Shanghai, fully realizing all it has gone through and may yet have to face, is solid in the recognition of the qualities of the man to whom they look as the head of the state to which they belong. They are proud of being British subjects, and if it is at all possible, prouder still of being able to give allegiance to such a man.

The Proper Attitude

Despite earlier reports to the contrary the four men held by the British authorities in Tientsin in connection with the murder of Cheng Shi-kang, Commissioner of Customs, are not to be handed over until further evidence has been produced to prove their guilt. That is entirely as it should be. The assassin was arrested immediately after the murder, but succeeded in making good his escape, and though it is thought that he is now in custody together with three others, it is apparent that as only one of them could have committed the actual murder, the crime has to be brought home to him, while the others may ultimately be found guilty of conspiracy or some such similar charge. The insistence of the British authorities that the case shall be clearly proved against these men before they are handed over to the Japanese, who in the ultimate result will fill the roles of accusers and judges, is well in accordance with tradition which demands that a hundred guilty shall go free rather than one innocent man be wrongly punished. The situation is made quite clear in the telegram on the subject which appears in another column. Two Chinese found with bombs in their possession are, it is understood, on the instructions of the British Government to be handed over to the Japanese. They have been caught *in flagrante delicto*, and there can be no question about their guilt. It is emphasized that all persons found guilty of serious crimes in the British Concession will be handed over to the *de facto* authorities, while those guilty of minor misdemeanours will be expelled. That surely ought to satisfy the Japanese authorities, though it is doubtful whether it will, but it is quite unthinkable that the British officials would ever hand over to the Japanese any Chinese whose guilt of a particular crime might prove to be a matter of some uncertainty.

IN PARENTHESIS

A Pun

"WHAT's a man who marries two wives, dad?"
"A bigamist."
"And what's one who marries three?"
"A bigamystery."

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Who Laughs Last

THE wife had just bought a new hat, so modern that one couldn't be quite sure that it was a hat at all. Said the husband: "I always laugh when I look at your hat." "Good," she said, "I'll leave it beside the bill when it comes."

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Cured

WHEN her husband was ill, Mrs. Jones telephoned the doctor, who told her to take the patient's temperature. She put a barometer on his chest and it said, "Very Dry." She gave him a bottle of beer, and he felt so good he got up and went straight to work.

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Landmark

"I WANT a haircut," said the customer in the barber's shop, and went on, "a singe, shampoo, moustache clipped, beard trimmed; where can I put my cigar?"

The barber replied: "Suppose you keep it in your mouth, sir; it'll be a sort of landmark."

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Mutual

A MAN met a friend of his who had just moved into a semi-detached house, and asked him how he liked it. The walls are very thin," he said, "and the neighbours can hear everything we say." "Why don't you hang some heavy curtains or tapestry or something on the wall?" "Oh," he said, "that would stop us from hearing what the neighbours say."

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Gentlemanly

"THEN you admit that you struck the plaintiff with malice aforethought?" demanded counsel for the man charged with assault.

"You can't mix me up like that," replied the defendant, indignantly. "I've told you twice I hit him with a brick. There wasn't no mallets nor nothing of the kind about it—just a plain brick like any gentleman would use."

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Heard in Court

MAGISTRATE: You are summoned for speeding. Have you anything to say in defence?

Motorist: Yes, I drive for pleasure only.

Witness: There was a lot of people about; 15,000 had been to the football match.

Counsel: Were they all on the crossing?

Witness: Not all of them; there wouldn't be room.

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Song at Twilight

"LEAVING the door open" is an expression which is now very much the vogue. It seems a worthy successor in foul fatuity to that foul word of all time, "appeasement."

To consider it in ballad form....as a song at the twilight of sanity, when the light of reason is very low.

She bounced like a ball off the pavement.
A beautiful girl in her 'teens:
She'd just been flung out of a party,
The butt of regrettable scenes:
A swelling, the size of an onion,
Unsettled the hat on her head,
But, far from discouraged, she loitered,
And unto the party she said:—
"Oh, sir, please do leave the door open,
"The door that you slammed shut just now!
"I wasn't quite sure of your meaning,
"I'm ever so dense like, somehow!
"Oh, please, sir, I'd like to be certain,
"I would like to have it all plain!
"So, if I return to the door, sir,
"Oh, Please, will you slam it again?"

* * *

Row to Hoe

"CRITICISM of the Government's foreign policy," said Sir Henry Egg, M.P., speaking in the Turnip Exchange, Wopps-on-the-Wold, last night, "is specially to be deplored just now.

"I say one word—Russia. And I ask you, Was there ever a harder row to hoe?"

A Voice: "Yes—Errins."

"Errins, sir?"

"Yes, Errins' roe!" Loud laughter.

Sir Henry: "Well, be that as it may——"

A Voice: "Be what as 'oo which?"

Chorus: "Shut up, Ernie, the gentleman's speaking!"

Sir Henry: "Thank you, friends."

Chorus: "Don't thank us. Thank the tell-tale innocence in your eyes."

Sir Henry: "Anyhow, I think I may say—nay, I am sure I may—that none of us here to-night would care to have the Government's task, which is to secure all benefits from a Russian agreement while pretending that no such country as Russia exists."

Falsetto cheers; cries of "Beware, the I.R.A.!" accompanied by popping of paper bags; and farmyard noises.

Sir Henry's left suspender then descended in view of the enraptured audience, and the chairman moved (a) a vote of thanks, and (b) out of the path of Wopps-on-the-Wold's traditional tribute of affection—a flying rat.

—Showman in the "Daily Herald."

THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

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Same date, 1938	Min. 72.0	Max. 80.5

Rainfall nil.

Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min. 66.2	Max. 89.2
Same date, 1938	Min. 71.4	Max. 82.4

Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 6th:—High and steady pressure over Japan: normal and unsteady over China. South-easterly to south-westerly winds over Shantung with fine weather. Overcast with rain and south-easterly to north-easterly breezes in our regions and to the south of the Saddles.

State on the morning of the 7th:—Damp and misty weather. Calm of wind. Pressure rather low and unsteady.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Fine cloudy and hot weather with south-easterly to south-westerly winds around Shantung. Cloudy and hot with fog and south-easterly to southerly winds over our regions and the Eastern Sea.—Siccawei Observatory.

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Mr. R. M. Tinkler Dies From Bayonet Wounds

Serious Condition Not Revealed by Japanese Until 10 p.m.; British Consular Official Refused Permission to See Injured Man

MR. Richard Maurice Tinkler, forty-one years old labour superintendent at the China Printing & Finishing Co.'s Lun Chong mill at Pootung Point, succumbed in the General Hospital at 5.30 a.m. yesterday to severe bayonet wounds received during a skirmish with Japanese bluejackets on the mill property on Tuesday morning. Believed to have been hit only with the butt of a rifle while grappling with the sailors, news of his grave injuries was not received until he was despatched with all haste from Pootung, where he had been detained by the Japanese forces since morning, to the hospital shortly after 10 p.m. Despite an immediate operation, the fact that his wounds had not been treated for many hours proved to be fatal, and he succumbed to internal haemorrhage.

Mr. Tinkler, it will be recalled, was stated to have fired at Japanese officers and sailors with his pistol on Tuesday morning after a detachment of bluejackets had escorted a party of Chinese strikers and strikebreakers across the mill premises to the Japanese Naval Landing Party Headquarters. It was stated that he had been injured by a blow from a rifle butt and had been taken into "protective custody" at the Headquarters.

This incident occurred at about 8 a.m., it was stated, following which no one was allowed to see Tinkler at the Headquarters until he was despatched to hospital at 10 p.m. At 4 p.m. on Tuesday the "North-China Daily News" was informed, a British Consular official was refused permission to see Tinkler, while at 7 p.m. the man's condition was reported by the Japanese authorities to be improving.

The body has been removed to the parlours of the International Funeral Directors from the General Hospital, where an autopsy was performed yesterday afternoon. It was discovered there that Mr. Tinkler had received two very deep wounds on each side of the abdomen while his body was covered with many bruises.

Consular Official's Statement

In a statement to the "North-China Daily News" yesterday afternoon a British Consular official pointed out that Mr. Miura's protest was being studied, although the situation had changed considerably since Mr. Tinkler's death. "The result of our preliminary enquiries," he continued, "shows that the Japanese received a certain amount of provocation. At the same time, however, they seemed to have used unnecessary brutality and violence."

Mr. Tinkler, he continued, had been severely bayonetted, although they had been given an assurance by the Japanese authorities on Tuesday afternoon that his injuries were not serious. As late as 7 p.m. a message had been received from the Japanese naval surgeon attending him indicating that there was no cause for undue anxiety as his condition had improved considerably, the Consular official added.

"At 10 o'clock, however, a message came through that his condition had become suddenly serious and the Japanese authorities asked if he had any relatives in Shanghai," he went on. "I notified the company, who had already heard of his condition from the Japanese, and I requested them to arrange for a doctor to go over at once. No obstructions were placed in our way then. On arrival the doctor found that Mr. Tinkler was suffering from severe internal injuries and the only hope of saving his life was an immediate operation."

Little Hope

Mr. Tinkler, he continued, was conveyed to the General Hospital without delay where it was found that he had been severely bayonetted. An operation was performed immediately and was successfully concluded but as such a long time had elapsed from the time he had received the injuries until the time that the operation was performed there was little hope of his recovery, the official stated. At 5.30 a.m. yesterday he had succumbed to internal haemorrhage.

There was little doubt, the statement continued, that Mr. Tinkler had been bayoneted at the mill at the time of the incident. There had been no sign of any head injury when he had been taken to hospital, which seemed to disprove the Japanese statement that he had been hit on the head with the butt of a rifle after being disarmed. There were, however, bruises on the right forearm. It appeared, he went on, that Mr. Tinkler had been knocked to the ground and then bayonetted.

During Tuesday afternoon a British Vice-Consul was refused permission to see the injured man and a request that the man be attended by his own doctor or a foreign doctor was also refused, the official pointed out. He also stated that it was probably a fact that Mr. Tinkler was suffering from severe nervous strain at the time of the incident owing to labour troubles at the mill, where he lived, and that he had mistaken the intentions of the Japanese sailors when they had entered the premises.

Here again he emphasized that unnecessary brutality had been used and that the whole affair was being studied by the British authorities. From eye-witness accounts of the incident it appeared, he stated, that Mr. Tinkler had fired a revolver shot but this was not directed at the Japanese officers but towards the ground. There was proof also that he had threatened Japanese officers but this was probably due to his nervous condition.

Japanese Embassy Statement

At the Japanese press conference yesterday an Embassy spokesman issued the following statement in connection with the affair: "In compliance with the British Consul-General's request for protecting the Lun Chong Textile Mill whose workers went on a strike in the latter part of May, our Naval Landing Party have been on duty since May 23.

"On Tuesday, June 6, there occurred a fighting between the strikers and strike-breakers. In order to stop this fighting our Naval Landing Party had been doing their best but unfortunately trouble occurred between our bluejackets and some British employees of the mill, one of whom showed a very insolent attitude and pointed a pistol towards the commanders of the section, company and the battalion of the Landing Party, and even fired a shot. It was quite natural that the bluejackets seeing an act of insult per-

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Japan to Respect Neutral Commerce

Assurance Given in Tokyo; Negotiations in Tientsin Terrorist Case Continue

Tokyo, June 7.

An assurance that the Japanese navy, in their blockade of the China coast, would continue to respect the "peaceful commerce carried on by third Powers," was given today by the Foreign Office spokesman at his weekly press conference.

He revealed that Sir Robert Craigie, the British Ambassador, saw Mr. Hachiro Arita, the Foreign Minister, yesterday afternoon in connection with Chinese reports of a wholesale blockade of the China coast and also regarding the situation in Tientsin.

Concerning the Tientsin situation, Sir Robert Craigie is stated to have confirmed the fact that the British Consul-General there, Mr. E. G. Jamieson, had refused to deliver to the Japanese authorities the alleged assassins of Mr. Cheng Shi-kan, Commissioner of Customs, who was murdered in a theatre in the British Concession on April 9.

Negotiations, the spokesman said, would be continued on the spot. The Japanese, he declared, possessed ample proofs of the complicity of the detained men.

Asked whether the Japanese Government still adhered to its blockade policy as laid down on August 26, 1937, when it was declared that the "peaceful commerce carried on by third Powers will be fully respected and the Japanese navy has no intention of interferring with such commerce," the spokesman declared that there was no change in Japan's policy.

Answering further questions put by correspondents, the spokesman said he knew nothing regarding the reports of negotiations alleged to be proceeding in Shanghai for setting up the new Central Government.—Reuter.

Clouds Thwart Raid on Chungking

Wanhsien Get Bombs Going To Chinese Capital

Chungking, June 7.

Bad weather conditions and poor visibility prevented a Japanese attempt to raid Chungking this evening, but the Japanese aeroplanes, on the way back to their base, bombed Wanhsien, treaty port on the Yangtze River, below Chungking.

Thirty-six Japanese bombers took off from Hankow late in the afternoon in two groups, heading up-river in the direction of Chungking, the first group comprising nine bombers and the second group 27 bombers. The raiders were observed crossing the Hupeh-Szechuen border shortly after 6 p.m. (Chungking time).

The alarm was sounded as the first group of nine bombers reached a point 200 kilometres from Chungking.

Chinese pursuit 'planes immediately went up, cruising above the city, passing in and out through heavy cloud banks, ready to challenge the raiders.

The "all-clear" sounded at 8 p.m. the Japanese 'planes, after bombing Wanhsien, returned down river.—Reuter.

American Paris Envoy Sailing for U.S.

Expected to Acquaint Mr. Roosevelt with Situation

Paris, June 7.

Mr. William C. Bullitt, United States Ambassador to Paris, suddenly decided today to sail on the French liner Normandie for New York tomorrow to see President Roosevelt and Mr. Cordell Hull, United States Secretary of State.

The American Ambassador expects to return to Paris late in June, United States Embassy officials revealed.

No definite announcement was made as to the exact nature of the sudden trip and what the subject of his conversations with President Roosevelt will be.

Informed circles, however, believed that Mr. Bullitt would furnish Mr. Roosevelt with a complete picture of the latest European situation and present him with details of the Anglo-French negotiations with Soviet Russia. Mr. Bullitt was formerly U.S. Ambassador to Russia and is considered an expert on Russian affairs.—United Press.

Mandates Commission Meeting To-day

London, June 7.

The next ordinary session of the Permanent Mandates Commission opens at Geneva on June 8. The new statement of the policy on Palestine by the British Government issued as a White Paper a few weeks ago, will come before the Commission at this session.

The Colonial Secretary, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, is leaving London on Tuesday of next week to represent the British Government at Geneva.—Wireless through Reuter.

Local Traders Not Assisted by China Credits

Imputations Against New Company Denied

London, June 6.

Complaints from a body of British businessmen in Shanghai, that as regards the £3,000,000 credit to China they had got no part or share in making purchases or promoting sales, were mentioned in the House of Commons today in the course of further discussions regarding the company called Trading Facilities Limited.

The concern was first mentioned yesterday by Major-General Sir Alfred Knox, Conservative member for the Wycombe division of Buckinghamshire, who asked whether there was any truth in the rumours that the Export Credit and Trade Department had advised the Chinese Advisory Committee to deal entirely with the Trading Facilities Limited.

In the course of a personal explanation today, Mr. Robert Boothby, Conservative member for East Aberdeen and Kincardine, said he was a director of this company, of which the chairman was Mr. Serge Karlinski.

Imputations Unfounded

Sir Alfred Knox, he declared, was aware of this when he put his question yesterday. He sincerely hoped that Sir Alfred would raise the question on adjournment today, as he had said he would, but in case he thought better of it he (Mr. Boothby) desired to assure the House without the slightest delay that there was not the slightest foundation for the imputation cast not only against the company but also against civil servants.

Sir Alfred Knox apologized for not having previously notified Mr. Boothby that he was going to mention a company of which he was a director.

A fortnight ago, he continued, he received representations from a body of traders in Shanghai complaining that as regards the £3,000,000 credit to China, they had got no part or share in making purchases or promoting sales.

As they had been very hard hit in China by the war, he considered it his duty to send the communication to Mr. R. S. Hudson, Secretary for Overseas Trade.

Sir Alfred Knox said he mentioned in a covering note that he had no means of checking the accuracy of the statement, but conceived that the anxieties of British merchants in China, who had been hard hit by the war, might be considered.

He thought that the House would agree with him that it was his duty to send that statement to the Minister (cries of "Hear, Hear").

"A Bunch of Robbers"

Mr. William Gallacher, Communist member for West Fife, asked the Deputy-Speaker: "Is it permissible for a bunch of robbers to take up the time of the House?"

The Deputy-Speaker replied that if he understood Mr. Gallacher rightly, his remark was grossly disorderly.

Mr. J. McGovern, Independent Labour member for the Shettleston division of Glasgow, interposed: "But it is true."

Mr. Gallacher then drew the attention of the Deputy-Speaker to the fact that Sir Alfred Knox was a member who "took extremely violent action against British shipping interests in Spain."

That, answered the Deputy-Speaker, had nothing whatever to do with the matter before the House.

Mr. McGovern: "It is a question of who should get the loot."

The discussion was then dropped.—Reuter.

Australia Looking to Her Defences

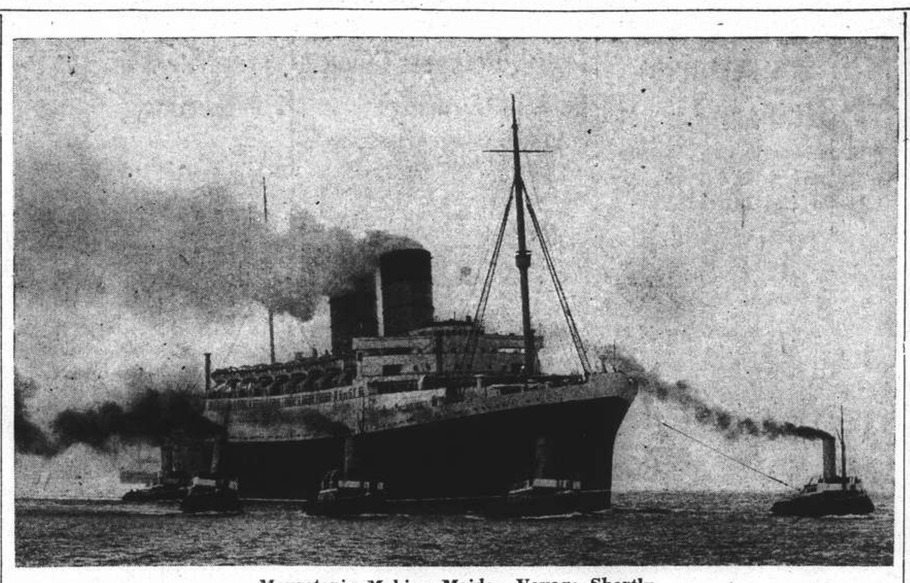
Loan of £6,000,000 to Be Launched

London, June 7.

A £6,000,000 national defence loan was launched on the local market today by the Government of Australia, which annually spends but £26,000,000 for armaments and the upkeep of military forces.

The loan bears a four per cent. rate of interest and will be reimbursed in the years 1961 to 1964.

The money will be used to reinforce land, air, and coastal navy defences and for the manufacture of ammunition. Part of the total sum will serve to purchase British planes and naval material.—Havas.



Mauretania Making Maiden Voyage Shortly

The Cunard-White Star liner Mauretania will make her maiden voyage to New York within the next few days. This picture is the first to show her under way in her completed state. She is shown leaving Cammell Lairds at Birkenhead for the Gladstone Graving Dock at Liverpool.

Men in Thetis Met Death in Best Navy Tradition

Tribute Paid By First Lord of Admiralty to Victims of Disaster in House of Lords

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, June 6.

A TRIBUTE to the heroic behaviour of the men who perished in the submarine Thetis was paid by Earl Stanhope, First Lord of the Admiralty, in the course of a statement in the House of Lords today on the disaster.

From the reports of survivors, who were now progressing favourably and no longer under hospital treatment, he declared, it was evident that the bearing of officers and men during the terrible period from the time of the accident was of the highest order and in accordance with the best traditions of the service. The behaviour of all civilians aboard, he added, was also on an equally high standard.

Earl Stanhope also spoke in high terms of the attitude adopted by relatives of those lost in the accident.

The First Lord informed the House that three lifting wires had been passed under the submarine, and compressed air pontoons were in position. If the fine weather continued, it was probable that a trial lift would be made in about 48 hours.

Divers' Difficulties

Referring to the difficulties with which divers were faced—difficulties which he thought were not appreciated by the public—Earl Stanhope said the tides were such that divers were unable to keep their feet under water except during short between-tide periods.

The sharp inclination of the Thetis, he asserted, made any foothold on the smooth sides practically impossible. Undoubtedly these were two factors which caused what appeared to be no more than a serious mishap to become a great disaster.

Donations from rich and poor poured into Mansion House today when the Lord Mayor's Fund in aid of the dependents of those who died in the Thetis disaster was opened.

The King gave £100, the Queen £50, and other members of the Royal Family also sent contributions.

Other donations included £5,000 each from Messrs. Cammell Laird, builders of the Thetis, Lord Nuffield, and Messrs. Vickers Limited, and £1,000 from Lord Wakefield.—Reuter.

New Zealand Fund

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Wellington, New Zealand, June 7.

The Mayor today opened a Relief Fund for dependents of the victims of the Thetis disaster.—Reuter.

Cape Town Collections

London, June 7.

A message from Cape Town says that the Mayor of Cape Town has decided to open a relief fund for the relatives of those who perished in the Thetis.—Wireless through Reuter.

Religious Service Held

London, June 7.

Fifty bereaved widows of the men who died in the submarine Thetis were present at a religious service held at sea today in memory of the dead sailors.

At the same time, another religious service was being held in London, at which were present all the members of the Cabinet and the Admiralty.

At Birkenhead, an open air service took place with Rear-Admiral Tower representing the Admiralty. Other services were held at Portsmouth, Devonport and Chatham.—Havas.

Nation Mourns Victims

London, June 7.

The nation today mourned the victims of the Thetis disaster. The clatter of noise at busy Mersey-side was hushed as the mine-sweeper Hebe passed on its way to the open sea to pay the last tribute to the men of the submarine Thetis.

On board were the widows, mothers, fathers and sweethearts of the 99 men entombed in the submarine 14 miles out at sea.

Many relatives could not face this ordeal. They stayed quietly at home or attended memorial services elsewhere.

The Hebe was accompanied by the mine-sweeper Seagull, which was heavily laden with wreaths which were dropped over the sunken vessel.

The order of service was simple and consisted of the hymn "Eternal Father, Strong To Save," then the firing of a volley, the sounding of "The Last Post" and the "Reveille" and the singing of the National Anthem.

A number of other warships at the spot also participated in the service.

Nearly a thousand employees of Cammell Laird's marched from the ship-yards to a memorial service in front of the town hall at Birkenhead, which was attended by many thousands of others.

Many flags were flown at half-mast in prominent buildings throughout the country, including the London Stock Exchange.

Memorial services were also held at St. Martins-in-the-Fields, Portsmouth, Davenport and Chatham.—Reuter.

Arab Gang Almost Wiped Out

British Troops Clean Up Terrorists After Stout Resistance

Jerusalem, June 6.

In one of the severest engagements since the start of the disturbances in Palestine, an armed Arab gang was today almost annihilated by a detachment of men from the 2nd Battalion of the Leicestershire Regiment.

The scene of the engagement was near Tulkarem, where the sound of firing could be heard.

The gang, believed to have been connected with the killing of four British soldiers near Kalkilieh on June 2, battled until they were almost completely wiped out. Only a very small number are believed to have succeeded in escaping.

Earlier in the day, Arab villagers in the area south of Nablus captured 12 armed Arabs and handed them over, together with arms and ammunition, to a detachment of police and military summoned from Nablus.

Following the wounding of an Arab by Jews on the outskirts of Tel-aviv, the military commander of the southern district has suspended Jewish road transport entering or leaving the town from noon today until tomorrow evening.

Other Jews are stated to have fired on Arab passers-by without hitting them.—Reuter.

Arabs Arrested in Damascus

Damascus, June 6.

French gendarmes today carried out a domiciliary search in the homes of numerous Arabs who fled here from Palestine. Twenty-one persons were arrested, among them a member of the Arab High Committee, Izzet Darouyazi. The French authorities refused to divulge why the arrests were made.—Trans-Ocean.

Resistance Resolved Upon

Jerusalem, June 7.

The Jewish National Council have decided to pursue their plan of passive resistance against the provision of the British Government's White Paper.

The plan will consist of the education and pseudo-military training of school-children and students, numbering approximately 200,000.—Havas.

How to Cross A Street Described To French Concession Residents

Safety First Campaign Begun Week Earlier Than Planned in International Settlement

Residents of the French Concession are getting to know just how to cross a street and how to call a rickshaw, how to remain on the side-walk and how not to drive faster than 25 kilometres an hour up to Boulevard de Montigny and not over 40 kilometres in the rest of the Concession, since June 4, when the French police through multi-coloured posters, and pamphlets distributed not only to pedestrians but also to drivers, rickshaw pullers and school-children have tried to make the population "no-accident" minded.

Chinese constables are posted at the various intersections and supervise the crossing of the thoroughfares by pedestrians whilst others stand near tram and bus stops and point out the dangers of crossing the streets to prospective passengers. Residents of houses situated near intersections are told how dangerous it is to let children play on the street, and in short, the French Concession has a "Safety First No Accident Week" all by itself, much to the pleasure of motorists and to the amusement of those pedestrians who, having nothing better to do, stand near street corners and seem to derive a great deal of pleasure out of watching the policemen, of whom they are usually afraid, accompany elderly women and small children across the street, whilst traffic is at a stand-still.

"Forty-eight persons were killed and 1,555 were injured in the French Concession during the past year. Help to reduce this number". This is the dramatic message contained in one of the many pamphlets being distributed.

"Do not forget that over 1,000 rickshaws were involved in accidents in 1938" reads a pamphlet especially prepared for pullers, whilst cyclists are told not to hold on to moving vehicles as this may mean death to them and destruction to their bicycles, just as 800 have been destroyed during 1938.

"Do not forget that the police may cancel your driving licence if you are involved in an accident and that you may thus be without a job" the driver reads in the pamphlet especially prepared for him.

It is not known for how long the present measures, which involve a large number of policemen from each station, will be in force and considerable interest is being created in various circles with regard to the results that will be achieved.

A "Safety First, No Accident Week," as will be recalled, is scheduled for the International Settlement before the end of the month and the committee in charge of arrangements, is doing everything possible to make this first attempt at the reduction of accidents, as successful as possible.

40,000 Storm Troopers Going to Danzig

Warsaw, June 7.

Forty thousand Nazi Storm-Troopers will arrive in Danzig to attend the sports meeting between June 9 and June 13. Of this number, 24 companies of Storm-Troopers will come from East Prussia.—Havas.

Dollar Slumps to New Level

Control Committee Ceases To Support Exchange; Stock Exchange Busy

Confusion was created in Shanghai yesterday when the control banks ceased to support foreign exchange and, as a result, the Chinese dollar took another plunge, business being done at as low as 7⅜d. for cash, but, for most of the morning, no selling rates were quoted at all.

When the market opened there was buying by the banks and then the rate began to fall. The local exchange market opened at 8d. for sterling and 15⅝ for U.S. dollars but afterwards the interbank market became completely disorganized owing to the control committee ceasing to sell to banks at any rate. Many reports were circulated regarding the reason for this situation, but it was reliably learnt that it was entirely due to the refusal on the part of the Anglo-Chinese Stabilization Fund to transact any sales of foreign currency for the time being.

After about 9.15 a.m. yesterday, there was no interbank market although a good deal had been done before that time in U.S. dollars at 16 3/32 cash and 16 1/17 for June. Later, business was done as low as 7⅜d. for cash but at the close no selling rates were quotable.

The reaction too was noted on the Shanghai Stock Exchange where scenes of unprecedented activity and firmness were witnessed at the half-day session. For the first time since the inauguration of the new system, the volume of trading (nearly 250,000 shares) was so great that neither the recording of transactions or the ticker could keep pace with the flow of orders. The market's strength was, of course, due to the Control Committee withdrawing support for exchange at 8 1/16d., and the consequent collapse in rates. It is impossible to pick out any special stock for mention, but it would be quite safe to say that practically every counter advanced and in some cases five per cent. or more, for example Ewos which rose to $20.50, closing at $20.40. In the rubber market, frenzied conditions prevailed, as this section is particularly popular with those who seek exchange protection for their capital.

No Misgivings

Hongkong, June 7.

Reuter learns from authoritative circles that the movement in the exchange quotation of the Chinese national currency need give rise to no misgivings.

The resources at the disposal of the Control, they declare, are amply sufficient to meet the situation.

The ability of the authorities to maintain exchange, they add, therefore need not be questioned.—Reuter.

No Information in London

London, June 7.

Far Eastern bankers, interviewed by Reuter today, had no information to explain the sudden drop in the Chinese National dollar in Shanghai.

Some quarters expressed the opinion that the action of the Anglo-Chinese Stabilization Fund Committee in allowing the dollar to decline from its recent level may have been intended to bring about a more even balance between imports and exports.

It was also suggested that the exchange control considered the previous rate—eight pence farthing in terms of sterling—too high, and desired to allow the dollar to find its own level at a lower value.

The drop in the dollar, it was stated, may also be intended to undercut the Japanese-sponsored Hua Hsing Commercial Bank's attempts to "collar" export bills in the Shanghai area.

One widely held view in the City this morning was that the exchange control deliberately dropped the rate with a view to squeezing out speculators.

It was pointed out that this manœuvre, though never publicly acknowledged, was not infrequently practised by control banks generally—Reuter.

Bulgaria Reinforces Army

Bucharest, June 7.

In order to obtain an immediate increase in the number of serving officers in the Army, the Ministry of War announced today that all officers in the Reserve can apply to enter the active list. The measure is considered necessary, as part of the large national defence drive which is now being carried out.—Reuter.

Dr. Goebbels to Visit Danzig on July 17

Danzig, June 7.

Dr. Joseph Goebbels, Reich Minister of Propaganda, will visit Danzig on July 17 to address two big gatherings in connection with Danzig's "Week of Culture."—Trans-Ocean.

Crowds Greet King, Queen Nearing Niagara Falls

Throngs Greet Their Majesties on Point of Departure from Canada; U.S. Precautions Taken

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Toronto, June 7.

IN order to enable the Royal Train to be washed, the King and Queen stopped here for 30 minutes yesterday afternoon in the course of their journey to the United States border at Niagara Falls, where they are expected to arrive tonight.

Members of the Toronto and North York Hunt, dressed in pink coats, galloped alongside the Royal Train in the wooded meadows just outside the city. Later, as the train halted at one small place, the King entered a platform observation car, whereupon a voice from the crowd cried: "Hiya, King?" to which His Majesty replied, with a broad smile: "I'm fine. How are you?"

When the King and Queen arrived at Kitchener, Ontario, 750 strikers at an important rubber works, anxious that nothing should mar the harmony of the Royal visit, themselves took measures to ensure the maintenance of perfect order, while the management agreed not to try to reopen the works until Their Majesties had left.

Americans from the Middle-West are now pouring into Windsor, Ontario, at the rate of 30,000 an hour, and there are likely to be more Americans than Canadians in the city when the King and Queen arrive there.

It is officially announced from Ottawa that the United States Minister to Canada, Mr. Daniel Roper, and Mrs. Roper are leaving for the Niagara Falls to pay their respects to Their Majesties as they leave Canada for the United States.

Permanent Way Cleared

Stratford, Ontario, June 6.

A section of the permanent way over which the Royal train will pass today was torn up when a Canadian National Railway engine was derailed a mile from here.

A gang of men worked for four hours to clear the line.—Reuter.

Visitors Cross Border

Windsor, Ontario, June 7.

While Washington and New York are making tremendous preparations to receive the first British sovereigns to enter the United States, thousands of Americans are today crossing the border to Niagara Falls to meet the King and Queen when they end their triumphal tour of Canada.

The royal train is now on its last all-night run, and will shortly arrive in London, Ontario. With brief halts, it will then complete the last stage of the journey.

The train is now nearly an hour behind its schedule owing to extra stops, made to satisfy the great enthusiasm of the Canadian crowds. The stops have been lengthened so as to satisfy the tremendous eagerness of the Canadians to see Their Majesties.

The Royal Couple will arrive at Niagara tonight.—Reuter.

Agitators Watched

Aboard Royal Train, June 7.

Members of the Royal Party touring Canada with King George and Queen Elizabeth talked to Scotland Yard by telephone yesterday regarding the protection of Their Majesties from possible attacks by Irish Republican Army terrorists while in the United States.

American police, it was learned, have been asked to watch other Irish agitators while the King and Queen are in the United States. The request was made following the arrest in Detroit yesterday of Mr. Sean Russell, Chief of Staff of the outlawed Irish Republican Army.

As a result of these developments, it is expected that the police guard around Their Majesties will be maintained even more closely in the United States than it was in Canada. It was believed unlikely that Their Majesties would enter directly into dense crowds in the United States as they did in Canada.

Detectives in Attendance

Two Scotland Yard agents are always in the immediate vicinity of the King and Queen, dressing in morning clothes in the daytime and evening clothes at night so as to appear to be mere members of the official party.

Thus far in 6,000 miles of travel through Canada there has not been the slightest incident of hostility toward Their Majesties.

The dozen North-west Mounted Police who have accompanied Their Majesties through Canada will not go with them to the United States.

About 2,500 persons smashed their way through police lines at Toronto yesterday to swarm around Their Majesties at the railway station. The King and Queen smiled broadly and appeared on the observation platform of their train where they received cheers from the crowd.—United Press.

Precautions Tightened

New York, June 7.

The alleged discharge of a shotgun near the car of the Duchess of Kent in England yesterday will necessitate a review of the arrangement made for the protection of the King and Queen in the United States, according to Mr. Lewis Valentine, New York Police Commissioner.

There is no plan at present, he adds, to change the route of the royal procession through New York.—Reuter.

Objectives Attained

Washington, June 6.

The historic importance of the impending visit by King George and Queen Elizabeth was emphasized in the American press today.

Political quarters declared that the aims of the trip to the American continent were already achieved and even surpassed, for the demonstrations of loyality given by the Canadian people had impressed the American public very strongly.

Meanwhile, the capital was making ready today to welcome the British monarchs, and the whole city was beflagged with the Stars and Stripes and Union Jacks.

People have come from all parts of the country to see the visiting King and Queen and huge crowds are expected to follow their every movement. But it was feared that demonstrations may be somewhat spoiled by stormy weather, promised by the present intense and unnatural heat.—Havas.

Police Escort for Duchess

Sequel to Shot Fired at H. R. H.; Assailant Held In Custody

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, June 7.

Following the shooting incident near her home yesterday, the Duchess of Kent was provided with a police motor-cycle escort when she attended a charity meeting at the West Ham Speedway Stadium.

The escort preceded the Royal car, and a police car brought up the rear.

When the Duchess arrived, the 50,000 spectators present cheered her in a spontaneous welcome. The route to the stadium was lined by police.

A sawn-off shotgun, about 12 inches long, was shown to the Magistrate at the Westminster Police Court yesterday when Ledwedge Vincent Lawlor, the man who is alleged to have fired a pistol at a car as the Duchess of Kent drove from her home on her way to a cinema, was charged with having in his possession a firearm and ammunition with intent to endanger life or cause serious injury to property.

Chased by Car

A police officer stated that he heard a shot as the Duchess drove away, and that Lawlor, who was cycling away towards Victoria, was chased by car and caught.

It was alleged that Lawlor said: "I did not hit anybody, did I?"

When he produced a pistol, the officer seized it, and Lawlor remarked: "There is no need for all this fuss."

Lawlor, who is 45 years old and a welder's assistant living at Walworth, was remanded in custody for a week.

Both the Duchess of Kent and her companion, Lady Portarlington, who was in the car with her, were uninjured, and were not aware of the incident until after they had left the cinema.

After the affair, a police guard of three officers was stationed outside the home of the Duke and Duchess of Kent.—Reuter.

Detective Shoots at Gang of Thugs

Attempted Extortion Foiled

Being threatened by a gang of eight or ten thugs all armed with iron and wooden sticks, a Chinese detective attached to Louza Police station drew his service pistol and fired one shot when the gang became threatening. The shot injured one of the thugs in the right leg, in an alleyway near the intersection of Canton and Chekiang Roads at 3 p.m. yesterday.

Two other members of the gang are also in police custody and are at present being questioned. They were arrested in a tea house at 591 Canton Road, from where the police first heard that something was wrong.

It appears that the two men had entered the establishment and attempted to extort $30 from Nyoh Ping-shing who was sitting there. An alert employee of the establishment telephoned the police and the two men, questioned on the spot, said that their confederates were waiting in the alleyway. A lone detective went there to find that the men were ready to go for him, whereupon he fired the shot. The condition of the injured man is not serious.

New Chinese Envoy In Cuba

Chungking, June 7.

Dr. T. T. Li, former Director of the Publicity and Intelligence department of the Chinese Foreign Office, is leaving Chungking by air on June 10 for Hongkong, en route to Havana to assume his new post of Chinese Minister in Cuba. Dr. Li is expected to visit the United States on the way to Cuba.—Reuter.

Japanese-Australian Trade Agreement

Canberra, June 7.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Robert Menzies, announced today that negotiations have been opened in Canberra by the Japanese Consul-General for a new Japanese-Australian Trade Agreement.—Reuter.

Latest Exchange

The closing Interbank selling rates yesterday were as follows:
Sterling 7⅛d. U.S.$ 14 11/16c.

LONDON METALS AND N.Y. CROSS RATE

London, June 7.

Silver prices were fixed here 1/16d. under yesterday's levels.

	June 6	June 7
London spot	20d.	19 15/16d.
" forward	19 13/16d.	19⅞d.
" gold	148/4d.	148/4d.

London/New York:

One pound	U.S.$4.6869	$4.6860
One U.S. dollar	51.206d.	51.216d.

—Reuter.

Mr. R. M. Tinkler Dies from Bayonet Wounds

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formed to their officer were angered and might have shot him on the spot had the commander not stopped them. And such an act might have been justified.

"This incident is not a mere question of a Briton having threatened to fire at a Japanese, but it is an affront to the naval officers and constitutes an insult to the honour and dignity of our navy. This is, therefore, a very serious problem."

"Not Stabbed"

Following this a Navy spokesman stated that after having had his gun knocked away by one sailor, Tinkler jumped to attack another sailor and as he did that several sailors surrounded him with bayonets. In spite of that he kept moving about and "he may have come into contact with bayonets during the course of this," the spokesman said.

He had been carried part of the way to the Company Headquarters and when half-way there he had stated that he wanted to walk and he was allowed to do so. At the Company Headquarters he had been taken to the Infirmary and had been treated there immediately. He had been placed on a bed, but as he had moved about so much and had kept on falling off the bed, he had been placed on a Japanese mat on the floor. For several hours he had resisted any attempts to treat him and had kept on flaying his arms about, the spokesman continued.

Asked at what time he had been stabbed in the abdomen, the spokesman replied that this had occurred when he had been attempting to fight the bluejackets after he had been disarmed. "Was this necessary?" a pressman asked, and the spokesman replied, "He was not stabbed. He came into contact with bayonets as he was being surrounded by the sailors. This occurred on the mill premises."

Five or Six Wounds

The surgeon, who had attended Tinkler, had stated that the man would not allow them to treat him for his injuries and had voiced the opinion that had he allowed himself to have been treated probably he would have lived, the spokesman went on. "Was he given the right to ask for his own medical attendant?" a questioner asked. "There is no record of his having asked for that and when he was about to die he was asked if he had anything to say and he thanked the Japanese surgeon for his care. This was taken down by witnesses," the spokesman stated in reply.

Tinkler had been hit with the butt of the rifle after he had been disarmed when he wanted to fight the sailor, he continued. Asked how many times he had come into contact with the bayonets, the spokesman stated that he had received five or six wounds which included injuries caused by the rifle butt. He had no record of Tinkler having received three bayonet wounds.

The spokesman agreed that it could be assumed that no further wounds were received after the affray. In fact it was definite that no other injuries had been inflicted afterwards. Asked if he had uttered the following words, "That they should have disarmed this dangerous character in self-defence and that they should have subsequently manhandled him is only natural under the circumstances," an Embassy spokesman said that it was so.

"Refused Treatment"

In the circumstances prevailing at the time it was only natural, he added. Asked why Tinkler had not been handed over at the request of the British Consular authorities at 4 p.m., the Embassy spokesman replied that it had been necessary to carry out investigations on the Japanese side. "It must be recalled," he said, "that the Japanese Force at the time, was carrying out its duties, besides having been specially posted there at the request of the British authorities and against this Force this Briton adopted a provocative attitude and resisted this Force." The Japanese authorities, therefore, could not very well have handed the man over after such circumstances, he added.

Pointing out that a naval spokesman had stated on Tuesday that the only wound received by Tinkler had been an injury caused by the butt of the rifle, a questioner asked if the Japanese authorities had known at the time that the man had come into contact with the bayonets. The spokesman replied that at the time he was not aware of the exact extent of the injuries.

"Did he receive the bayonet thrust first or the blow from the rifle butt?" the questioner continued. "He was disarmed by being hit on the arm and then he started to grapple with the sailor and then he was surrounded by the others," the spokesman replied. He agreed that the man had not been handed over to the British authorities until he was almost dead. Asked when the bayonet wounds were first attended to the spokesman said that the man had kept on refusing treatment for several hours before he had been quietened down.

Every Care Taken

Asked if it was not the usual procedure to administer a narcotic in such cases, especially in view of the very grave nature of the bayonet wounds, the spokesman said that this step had been considered but after careful consideration it had been found inadvisable to do this. He was not in a position to state whether Tinkler had just objected to being treated by the Japanese or whether it had been a general objection.

The doctor, who had decided that it was not possible to administer the narcotic, was the same man who had stated that had Tinkled received immediate treatment, he might have lived, he added. Tinkler, he said, had been in a state of extreme excitement.

Because he had taken a turn for the worse and because there had been a request, he was handed over to the British authorities to be taken to hospital. He added that the Japanese authorities considered the fighting in the morning and events in the afternoon as entirely different situations. "A fight is a fight," he said, "but after that they did everything possible to treat him."

Asked if the Japanese surgeons, who had attended Tinkler, would be allowed to give evidence in the British Coroner's Court if requested to do so he stated that he was not aware of a decision either way. Asked if Tinkler had asked to see a British doctor, he replied that as far as he knew there had been no such request and it was a fact that although he had been wounded severely, he had resisted attempts to treat him. He was laid on the bed before 9 o'clock in the morning, it was stated.

Future Demands

As far as could be ascertained one sailor had hit him once with his rifle and after that it had been difficult to find out what had happened. "When the man had been hit he recovered and was able to walk to the Japanese Naval Landing Party Headquarters? a questioner asked. "He did walk. As stated before the spokesman did not receive full details yesterday," was the reply. The Japanese authorities were aware that he had been wounded at about 9 o'clock on Tuesday night and as the spokesman was not solely in charge of the case and as he had other matters to attend to, he had not issued a communication about the bayonet wounds.

He did not know whether the sentries had been posted outside the operating theatre to keep the injured man in "protective custody." Asked if the owners of the bayonets had been asked if the man had come into contact with their weapons, the spokesman replied that he was not in a position to go to every soldier and ask him whether his bayonet had come into contact with Tinkler. He could not devote his time only to press releases and subjects like that.

Future demands would be made to the British authorities but the nature of the demands could not be disclosed at the moment, he said. Asked if this action would be taken independently of any finding of H.M. Coroner's jury, he stated that no such consideration had been given. He added that he was not in a position to discuss the question when asked, as he had seen a lot of fighting in China and had some knowledge of bayonet wounds, whether it would be possible for the man to have walked with six such wounds in his body.

Extraterritorial Rights

Asked if any foreigner were to resist the Japanese forces would his extraterritorial rights be respected, the spokesman pointed out that in any case of a person threatening the safety of the Japanese forces in occupied territory it was only natural that his extraterritorial rights would be limited. As a matter of principal extraterritorial rights would be respected but in any case where action taken was of a character to endanger the safety of the Japanese forces in occupied territory such rights would be subject to limitation.

It would not be a question of application to law but of direct action necessary to maintain the safety of the Japanese Forces. It would be an act of law but a summary act. Asked if after investigations had been concluded would a detained person be handed over to his own authorities, the spokesman said "Such action would be the ordinary procedure and the most desirable, but there are certain circumstances in which individual cases must be considered on their merits, and in such circumstances I am not prepared to generalize on the matter and give you a sweeping conclusion."

If action was not summarily executed extraterritorial rights would be respected. There was no difference as to the time limit between a summary action and a legal action. The question of extraterritoriality was a question which involved China and not Japan and should be considered in an entirely different light. Extraterritoriality would be taken into consideration and duly respected by Japan.

Summary Action

After all extraterritoriality was a right not to submit to the laws of China, concluded between China and the Powers for the benefit of the latter. The Japanese authorities in China in pursuing their campaign in occupied territory, however, for the protection of the Japanese Forces were empowered with certain rights which were generally recognized under International Law. The Japanese Forces in occupation of China had ousted Chinese sovereignity from the occupied areas for the purpose of their military operations and for the maintenance of peace and order in such territory and if anyone were to come into conflict with the law (Chinese law) in that territory it would be dealt with in the ordinary manner as before, provided that such infraction did not impede the progress of the Japanese military operations and endanger the safety of the Japanese forces. The Japanese were the successors to the Chinese legal authorities in these areas, he added.

The term summary could be applied in Tinkler's case, he said, because the man had endangered the lives of the Japanese forces. The Japanese authorities were empowered to adopt any action they deemed necessary in connection with the execution of their military duties, the maintenance of peace and order in occupied territory, and safety measures for the protection of the Japanese forces.

Career

An inquest was opened yesterday morning by Mr. C. H. Haines, H.M. Coroner, at the General Hospital. Mr. Robert Cowan, director of the China Printing & Finishing Co., gave evidence of identification and an autopsy was ordered. The enquiry was adjourned until Wednesday, June 14.

A native of Grange-over-Sands the late Mr. Tinkler first came to Shanghai in 1919, joining the Shanghai Municipal Police in August of that year. He had a brilliant military record and was the holder of the Distinguished Conduct Medal, having served with the Royal Fusiliers throughout the world war. He was also recommended for a commission on demobilization.

In October of 1930, the deceased resigned from the S.M.P., leaving for the United States where he went into business of his own, returning to Shanghai some years later when he joined the China Printing and Finishing Company. Mr. Tinkler was single and lived in Pootung, he had many friends in Shanghai and was exceedingly popular, particularly in sporting circles, having been a good cricketer and having taken great interest in light athletics.

Strike "Deliberately Fomented"

London, June 7.

The mill troubles which led to the killing of Mr. Richard Maurice Tinkler by Japanese bluejackets at Pootung were laid by a British Government spokesman today to friction "deliberately fomented by the Japanese."

Although so far an official report on the incident has not been received, the Government spokesman said the Government is taking a very serious view.

He emphasized the British Government is taking a serious view because the killing was the result of a situation, the dangers of which "we pointed out previously on several occasions. We hope the Japanese also are taking a serious view."—United Press.

London Takes Serious View

London, June 7.

The British Government is taking an extremely serious view of the incident in Pootung on June 6, in which a British employee of a British firm, the China Printing and Finishing Company, and Japanese bluejackets were involved, as a result of which the British subject, R. M. Tinkler, lost his life.

It is pointed out that the Japanese are virtually in control of the mill area and that for some time, there have been disturbances among the workers.

Following British protests, an armed British naval guard was mounted over the mill but was withdrawn after a few days on the receipt of a written assurance from the Japanese that British lives and property would be protected.

Only yesterday, Sir Robert Craigie, the British Ambassador in Tokyo, raised the matter with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, drawing attention to the activities of certain Japanese in fomenting the strikes, and the absence of steps by the Japanese to preserve law and order.—Reuter.

Military Attache Not Released

Japanese Desire to Find Out What He Knows; Mrs. Spear Not Informed

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, June 6.

Mrs. Spear, wife of Lieut.-Col. C. R. Spear, British Military Attaché in China, who is being detained by the Japanese at Kalgan, told Reuter today that she heard some time ago from her husband that he was going on a mission into the interior, and that she must not expect to hear from him for several weeks.

She was awaiting official news, she added, but hitherto had heard nothing from the War Office.

Mrs. Spear is staying with her mother at Eastbourne.—Reuter.

Extent of Knowledge Sought

Tokyo, June 7.

The detention of Lt.-Colonel C. R. Spear, the British Military Attaché in China, and Lt. Cooper, British Language Officer, by the Japanese authorities at Kalgan, came up for discussion at this afternoon's press conference.

Commenting on their detention, the spokesman of the War Office said that the local Japanese Gendarmerie were continuing inquiry "to determine to what extent the British officers have sought out strategic secrets of the Japanese forces" and whether they passed on their information to the Chinese forces.

The spokesman said that even the British Ambassador, Sir Archibald Kerr, always reported previously to the Japanese Gendarmerie when he wanted to make a trip by land into area occupied by the Japanese forces.

"It is unbelievable," he concluded, "that members of Sir Archibald Kerr's staff should loiter in areas where Japanese and Chinese troops are confronting each other without giving previous notice, or without passports issued by the Japanese army."—Reuter.

British Subject Missing

Thomas Edwin Byers, a 38 year-old British subject who was last seen dressed in a khaki shirt, a cream jacket and khaki shorts, is missing since 9 a.m. on June 5 and is at present being sought.

For some days past a mystery fish about 30 ft long has been cruising along the fishing ground near Wyke Regis, Weymouth, driving mackerel inshore. On May 9 the monster became entangled in some nets, but before it could be got to the shore had escaped. Fishermen state that some 30 ft long, it weighs approximately one and a half tons, and has the appearance of a thresher shark.

Jewish Refugees Going Back to Germany

Hitch Occurs Over Landing In San Domingo

Havana, June 7.

Due to an undisclosed hitch in the arrangements for landing the 922 Jewish refugees on board at San Domingo, the ss. St. Louis radioed early this morning that it was heading for the Reich.

When informed of this, the Committee of Assistance to Refugees telegraphed an appeal to President Roosevelt, pointing out that there were 400 women and children on board the ship.

Adding to the tragedy of this most unfortunate event, it is understood that 200 of the refugees on board signed a "suicide pact" to be effective if they had to return to Germany.

It may be recalled that refugees were refused permission to land in Havana, although having been granted visas by the Cuban consular officials in Central Europe.

After fruitless attempts were made by the local Jewish community, the vessel pulled out from Havana on its way to Germany.

However, a few hours later it was announced that the Dominican Republic had agreed to receive the refugees on condition that they pay a landing tax of 500 pesos per person.

The reasons for the latest change in plans have not been divulged yet.—Havas.

Adjournment of Congress May Be Delayed

Neutrality Legislation to Require More Time

Washington, June 7.

President Roosevelt was informed by Congressional leaders yesterday that Congress cannot now definitely assure him that it will adjourn on July 15.

Earlier Congressional leaders had predicted adjournment by July 15 and the President had indicated a strong desire to send Congress home then.

Mr. William B. Bankhead, Speaker of the House, assured the President that everything possible was being done to expedite early adjournment.

The President later told the press that the heavy programme still facing Congress would force him to delay his trip to San Francisco and Alaska which he had planned to start on June 15.

Neutrality legislation is one of the chief obstacles to an early adjournment of Congress. The House Foreign Affairs Committee met in executive session yesterday to hear State Department authorities testify on proposed legislation.—United Press.

Adm. Leahy to Govern Porto Rico

U.S. Attaching Importance To Caribbean Sea

Washington, June 6.

Indicating the great military importance attached by the United States to be Caribbean Sea, Admiral W. E. Leahy, Chief of Naval Operations, was today appointed Governor of Porto Rico in place of Governor Blanton Winship.

Governor Winship recently tendered his resignation and it was accepted by President Roosevelt yesterday. Today, the President officially named Admiral Leahy to the vacant post.

Porto Rico, meaning "rich port" in Spanish, was discovered by Christopher Columbus in 1493, one year after he discovered America.

It covers an area of 3435 square miles and has a population of 1,750,000, including some 400,000 Negros and half-breeds. San Juan de Porto Rico is the capital and has a population of 137,215.

The island was ceded to the United States by Spain on December 10, 1898, upon conclusion of the Peace of Paris.—Havas.

Mr. W. A. Narbeth, lecturing to the British Phrenological Society on "Phrenology in the Law Courts" said that judges and magistrates should be chosen according to the development of their skulls. He pointed out that magistracies are awarded for political services, which, in his opinion, is the worst possible way, as he thinks they should have the same qualities as the judges.

Persistent Bidding For Sterling

New Life Infused in Exchange Market

London, June 6.

Quiet but persistant bidding for sterling yesterday and again today infused much-needed life into the London Foreign Exchange market.

In spite of official intervention by the British Exchange Account, sterling appreciated this morning, in terms of dollars, to 468.71 compared with 468.50 at the close yesterday.

Well-informed circles attributed the advance to liquidation of bull positions in dollars, owing to the abatement of war fears both in Europe and America.

While the upward trend of sterling provided the chief interest, the weakness of the Netherlands' guilder attracted some attention.

It was pointed out that the requirements of the French authorities in connection with the recent French bond issue constituted a supporting peg for the guilder, but, with this now withdrawn, there was little resistance to speculative selling, induced by rumours of political differences in Holland.

After opening at 8.80, the guilder eased this morning to 8.82½ in terms of sterling, and finally closed at 8.81, compared with yesterday's final level of 8.79½.—Reuter.

Siam to Have New Name

Bangkok, June 7.

The Council of Ministers today decided to rename Siam "Thai," which means free.

The Council announced that the motion to amend the constitution to legalize the change will be submitted to the National Assembly on June 24. June 24 is the same day which Siam celebrates as "Treaty Revision Day," commemorating treaties with Britain, United States and Japan which recognized Siam's complete independence and also abolished all extraterritorial rights for foreigners.

Siamese Nationalists called attention to the fact that the present name originated in Cambodia which was once part of Siam but which is now a part of Indo-China.—United Press.

An American Christian mission worker, a member of the "Friends of China Society," arrived in Chuanchow, Fukien, recently, and set out for a tour of inspection of the scenes of recent Japanese bombings, says a Foochow Chinese message to the "Sin Wan Pao." An examination of parts of a bomb, which she picked up beside an American church building in Chinyenching, the report adds, revealed that the bomb was of American manufacture, according to the words engraved on it.

Japan Wants Good Faith In Kulangsu

Conversations Between Consuls Held

Amoy, June 7.

Japanese authorities had clearly expounded their attitude regarding the question of reorganizing the administrative system of the Kulangsu Municipal Council, and were waiting for authorities of the Powers concerned to make the next move in "good faith," Mr. Goro Uchida, Japanese Consul-General here, declared this afternoon.

Mr. Uchida had separate consultations yesterday afternoon with the British, American and French Consuls and Mr. L. H. Hitchcock, Chairman of the Council.

"In yesterday's interviews with the Consuls of the foreign Powers concerned and the K.M.C. authorities we exchanged frank views, and I believe that the Japanese point of view has been made clear by these interviews and the previous ones." Mr. Uchida stated.

"We Japanese have made repeated efforts to arrive at a settlement of the question which would give satisfaction to both parties, keeping in mind the position of the K.M.C. authorities and the newly created situation."—Domei.

Italian Envoy to London Visiting Rome

London, June 6.

Count Dino Grandi, Italian Ambassador to the Court of St. James, left London for Rome this evening. He is to attend a meeting of the Grand Fascist Council in the Italian capital.

Before his departure, Count Grandi met Lord Halifax, Foreign Secretary, for the first time in several weeks and obtained information on the trend of British policy to communicate to his Government.—Havas.

Refugees Attempt Suicide in Alexandria

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Alexandria, June 6.

Eight German refugees, six men and two women, attempted to commit suicide by poisoning today when they were refused permission to land here. They have been removed to a Jewish hospital for treatment.—Reuter.

The Rev. J. Ernest James thinks London is a wonderful field for Evangelism as it is calculated that only 5 per cent. are greatly concerned with church-going. He said that a converted London would mean a converted England, and this would mean that England would be God's missionary nation in the world.

B.B.C. Broadcasts

Thetis Memorial Service, King's Tour Scheduled

London, June 7.

Recording of the Thetis memorial service Portsmouth will be heard on June 7, at 8 p.m., on stations GSJJJ, GSHHH, GSVVV, GSGGG, GSFFF, GRXXX; on June 8, at 2.30 a.m., on GSPPP, GSIII, GSDDD, GRXXX, GSCCC, GSAAA; at 7.30 a.m., on GSOOO, GSDDD, GSBBB; and at 1 p.m., on GSIII, GSDDD, GSBBB. All times given are Shanghai time.

A description of the arrival in Washington of the King and Queen will be heard on June 9, at 4 a.m., on stations GSGGG, GSPPP, GSDDD, GRXXX, GSCCC, GSAAA.

Recordings of this transmission will be heard on June 9, at 1 p.m., on GSIII, GSDDD, GSBBB; and at 8.15 p.m., on GSJJJ, GSHHH, GSVVV, GSGGG, GSFFFA GRXXX.

A description of the Royal drive through New York will be heard on June 10, at 11.05 p.m., on GSJJJ, GSHHH, GSVVV, GSGGG, GSFFF, GRXXX.

Recordings of this transmission will be heard on June 11, at 2.30 a.m., on GSGGG, GSPPP, GSIII, GSDDD, GRXXX, GSCCC, GSAAA; at 11.15 a.m., on GSDDD, GSCCC, GSBBB; and at 6.45 p.m., on GSJJJ, GSHHH, GSVVV, GSGGG, GSFFF, GRXXX.—Wireless through Reuter.

Flying Boat Arrives At Cocos Island

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Sydney, June 7.

The flying-boat Guba arrived at the Cocos Islands at 7.05 a.m. today, in the course of her flight across the Indian Ocean to South Africa.

The object of the flight is to explore the possibilities of an alternative air-mail route between Great Britain and Australia.

The Guba was forced to go on to Batavia after a first unsuccessful attempt to stop at the Cocos Islands.—Reuter.

Mr. D. Wild, a porter, of Carshalton, has refused to sell to the British Museum a 400 years-old-mummified cat which he possesses. The cat is said to be the only complete specimen of its kind, and was found in a cage near Maidstone originally, having since passed from licensee to licensee of a Nine Elms public house until it was given to him four years ago.

On May 15, 16 and 17 more than 500 dealers attended the 12th annual London International Stamp Dealers Bourse held in the Holborn Restaurant. Over 100 stands have been let. London has become the world centre through which important philatelic transactions are conducted. In certain countries stamps are now regarded as currency, and their export is strictly controlled.

Two Armed Robberies Nett $850

Three men, one armed with a pistol, entered a Chinese shop at 243 Canton Road at 7.45 p.m. last night and after intimidating the inmates, were able to make good their escape with $456 in bank-notes. Detectives from Central Police station are investigating the case.

At 2 a.m. yesterday, six men, two of them armed, entered a Chinese house at 1865 Sinza Road and decamped with $400 in cash. No shots were fired and Bubbling Well station detectives are at present making enquiries.

WATCHED HER FAT MELT AWAY

More than Two Stone Vanished in Four Months

This woman is only 5 feet tall and she weighed 11 stone 4 lbs. Then she found a simple, safe method of reducing, and she stuck to it faithfully for four months. She now turns the scale at *under 9 stone*. Read how she brought about this change :—

"A little over four months ago, out of curiosity, I started to take Kruschen Salts. I hadn't much faith in anything, as previously I had taken another treatment for 12 months and was 4 lbs. heavier than when I started. After the first bottle of Kruschen Salts I felt different, so I continued to take them and still felt better in every way. I watched myself losing fat every week and now I am very pleased with the results. I am 5 feet tall and before taking Kruschen I weighed 11 stone 4 lbs. Now I weigh under 9 stone."—(Mrs.) J.W.

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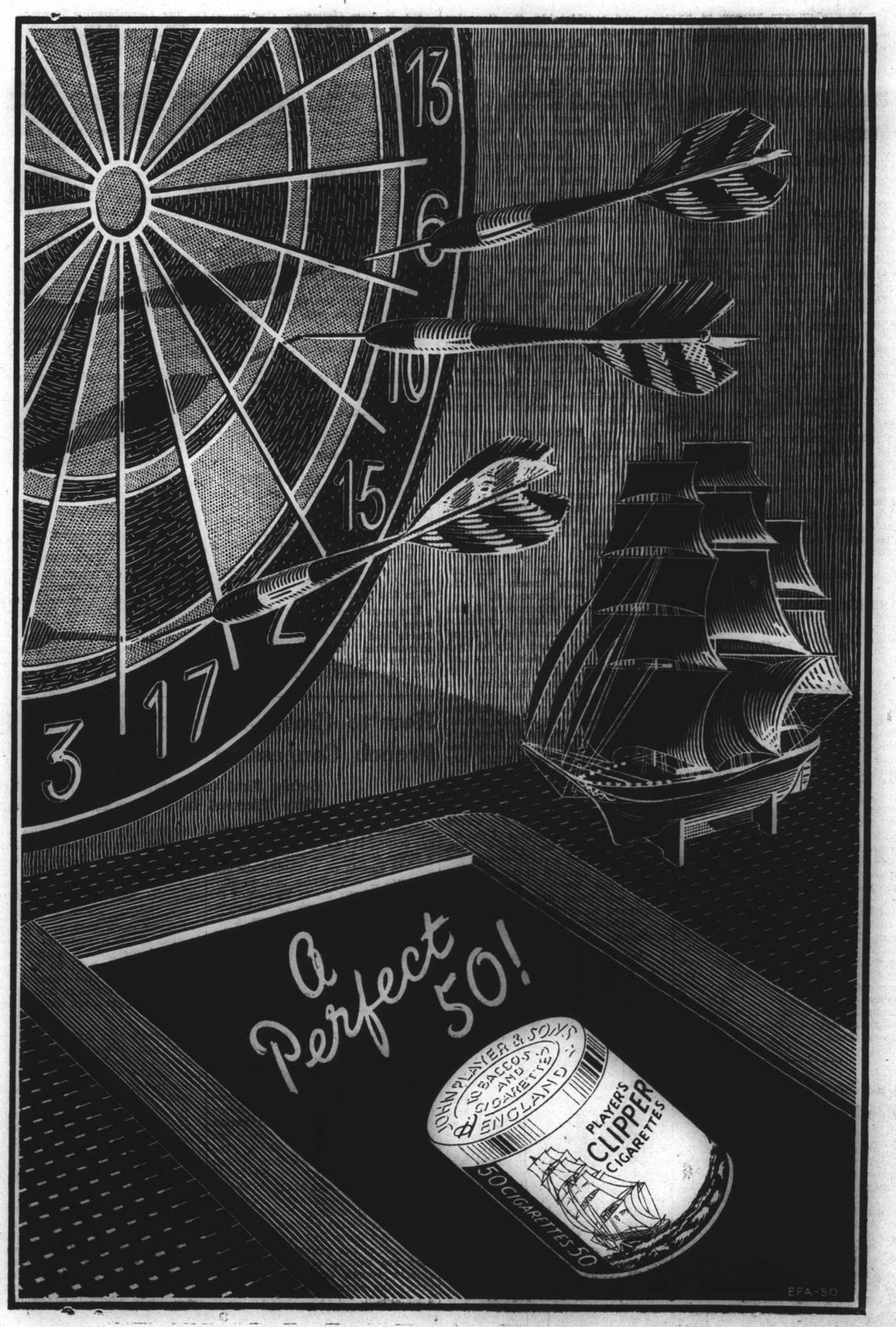

FROM DAY TO DAY

THERE will be a celebration of Holy Communion in the Bubbling Well Chapel this morning at 10.30.

MR. John B. Sawyer, American Vice-Consul, and Mrs. Sawyer and daughter, Josephine, left Shanghai in the ss. President Coolidge yesterday. They will spend two months in California and Oregon and return to Shanghai in September.

OWING to the enforcement of martial law in the Woosung, Wenchapang, and Chowchiachiao areas, ferry services between the International Settlement and these areas have been suspended since yesterday, says the "Sin Wan Pao."

DURING May, the Public Library issued 6,664 books to subscribers, 4,712 of fiction and 1,952 of non-fiction. 484 magazines were also issued. 5,009 persons made use of the Reading-rooms during the month. The Library now has 718 subscribers.

THE jumble sale held at the Union Church Hall on Tuesday in aid of the Limbless Soldiers and Sailors Fund realized the excellent sum of $806.40. The Committee of the Fund heartily thank both donors of goods and those who so kindly helped to sell them.

THE Municipal Council has been notified that during the absence from Shanghai on long leave from June 6 of Mr. A. van Cutsem, Consul General for Belgium, Mr. L. Scheyven, Counsellor of the Belgian Embassy, will assume charge of the Belgian Consulate General as Acting Consul General.

THE planting of cotton in the occupied areas of Hangchow, Haiyen, Haining, Pinghu and Hanghsien, in Chekiang province, is strictly prohibited, and those found guilty of so doing will be punished with death, according to a new order just issued by the Chekiang Provincial Government, says the "Sin Wan Pao."

TEA crops this year in the provinces of Chekiang, Anhwei Kiangsi, Fukien and Hupeh are said to be bountiful, says a report to the "Hwa Pao." Purchasing agents for foreign and Chinese tea merchants have been dispatched to Keemen, Wenchow, Pingsui, Hweichow and other districts in these provinces to make purchases, the report adds.

WITH a view to promoting the economic situation along the Yunnan-Burma highway, the Bank of China is making arrangements to establish a branch office each at the border towns of Tali, Chuhsiung, Paoshan and Tengchung, says a Kunming Chinese message to the "Chinese American Daily News." The branch office at Tali was recently inaugurated, the report states.

THE programme for the Brass Concert to be given in the French Park, this evening, June 8, from 5 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. (weather permitting) is as follows:—

March "Entry of the Gladiators" ..... Fucik
Selection "Alzira" ..... Verdi
Intermezzo "Arabian Nights" .. Hewitt
Selection "Terpsichoreana" .... Kappey
Morceau "Badinage" ..... Windeat
Valse "Dreaming" ..... Joyce
Reminiscences of Tschaiskowsky

TWENTY-five Jersey cows completed the long journey from Sydney, Australia, to Shanghai yesterday afternoon when the ss. Nankin berthed alongside the Old Ningpo Wharf in Broadway. These dairy cows are intended for the Scotch Dairies and the Culty Dairy, having been imported by these two concerns in order to meet the increasing demand for fresh milk in this city.

ALL the Japanese officers and men and other passengers were either killed or drowned when a Japanese train hit several land mines laid by Chinese units along an iron bridge between Toutien and Kaopeitien on the Peiping-Hankow Railway at 3.30 p.m. on June 3, says a Chinese message to the "Sin Wan Pao." The locomotive was badly shattered by the terrific explosion, while the coaches plunged into the river below, with the result that none of the passengers escaped alive, the report claims.

MR. Yen Li-san, member and acting Chairman of the Hupeh Provincial Government, and concurrently Commissioner of Civil Affairs, has been relieved of his post by order of the Executive Yuan, says a Chungking Chinese message to the "Shun Pao." Mr. Chang Nan-hsien has been appointed his successor, while Mr. Huang Chung-sun has been appointed to succeed Mr. Liu Ke-shu as member and secretary-general to the provincial government, the report adds.

THE wartime newspaper censorship bureau of the Military Affairs Commission was formally inaugurated in Chungking on June 5, says a Chinese message to the "Shun Pao." The bureau is headed by Dr. Hsiung Pin, director, and Mr. Pan Kung-chan, formerly Commissioner of Education of the Greater Shanghai Municipal Government, deputy director, the report adds. Mr. Pen Ke-chen has been appointed secretary to the director of the bureau, which has now commenced its work.

IN consideration of the fact that train services along the Chekiang-Kiangsi Railway have been interrupted, the Ministry of Economic Affairs has now revised the regulations governing the exportation of Chinese staple products from the war areas, says the "Sin Wan Pao." Apart from foodstuffs, salt, metals, petroleum, gasoline and spirit of wine, which are prohibited to be exported, the various provincial governments are now empowered to use their discretion either to permit or prohibit the exportation of all other items of Chinese staple products, from which the government ban has been lifted.

A SUM of $500,000 has been voted by the Central Government for the relief of distressed farmers in the famine districts in Northern Honan, says a Loyang Chinese message to the "Shun Pao." Of the amount $400,000 will be extended by the Farm Credit Bureau and the Farmers Bank of China, while the remaining $100,000 will be contributed by the Honan Provincial Government, the report states. Another sum of $500,000 has been granted to farmers in Western Honan areas, the report adds, and the Chinese Government will shortly extend another sum of $500,000 for conservancy projects in those areas, the report concludes.

Higher Surcharge On Gas Rejected

Council Considers Company Position Does Not Warrant Increase to 32 Per Cent.

At a meeting held on May 26, the Public Utilities Committee of the Shanghai Municipal Council dealt with an application from the Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd. for permission to continue the existing surcharge of 23 per cent. (the authority for which expired originally on April 30, 1939) for consumption periods ending between May 1 and 31, and to increase the surcharge to 32.9 per cent. for consumption periods ending during the months of June, July and August, the position to be again reviewed at the end of July with a view to deciding on the surcharge for the last four months of the year.

The Company contended that, from the position disclosed in a revised estimate of expenditure and revenue for 1939, this additional surcharge would be required to enable the Company to cover its expenditure and capital charges.

Members were reminded that continuance of the existing surcharge had been authorised by the Council in respect of consumption periods ending during the month of May and for such further period as would enable the requisite one month's notice to be given of a change in the surcharge, if any, that might be approved.

Improvement Shown

From a report submitted by the Treasurer and Controller, it was noted that as compared with the Company's net profits estimated in December the accounts for the year 1938 revealed a material improvement after allowing for amounts written off for losses on appliances and meters due to hostilities, additional provision for depreciation, etc.

It was now contemplated that the quantities of gas sold for domestic and industrial purposes will show an increase over the previous estimates and it has therefore been considered necessary to provide for the carbonization of an increased quantity of coal in order to enable the required volume of gas to be produced. Certain other costs had also required modification.

Having regard to all the circumstances, it was considered that the position disclosed did not justify the increase in the surcharge applied for, and it was recommended that the existing surcharge be continued until November 30, 1939, prior to which date the matter could be reviewed in the light of the Company's actual trading experience to September 30, 1939, and the conditions obtaining at that time, taking into consideration also the seasonable increase in demand usually evidenced following the summer months.

Consultation With French

Members were also informed that Council officials had maintained close touch with officials of the French Municipal administration which was also concerned in this matter.

After discussion, the Public Utilities Committee agreed to recommend to the Council that the increased surcharge applied for be disapproved, that continuance of the existing surcharge of 23 per cent. be authorized in respect of consumption periods ending between now and November 30, 1939, subject to review at any time and in any event prior to November 30.

The Council on May 31 endorsed the recommendation of the Public Utilities Committee.

Royal Asiatic Society Ends Lecture Season

Dr. H. F. Macnair to Deliver Final Talk Today

The meeting of the Royal Asiatic Society to be held this afternoon at 5.30 o'clock in the Society's auditorium at 20 Museum Road, when Dr. Harley Farnsworth Macnair will deliver a lecture on "Some Vicissitudes of a Mid-Victorian Consul," will be the last of the present season.

This terminates an extremely interesting series of lectures presented before the Society and the general public in Shanghai during the past nine months, averaging one every fornight since October of last year. The subjects covered in these lectures have shown a wide range, including, as they have done, Chinese art, archæology, ethnology, folklore, native medicines and natural history, with several travelogues in foreign lands. All have been well illustrated with lantern slides, some with coloured motion pictures. The meetings have been well attended. On December 29 the Society held its first Annual Soiree, when well over 300 guests were present, a delightful tea was served by some of the lady members of the Society and a number of interesting art and scientific exhibits were placed on view.

Well-known Historian

Dr. Macnair, who is to lecture this afternoon, formerly spent many years in China, being lecturer on history at St. John's University. He now occupies a chair in the University of Chicago, but is at present on a world tour with Mrs. Macnair, who, as Mrs. Florence Ayscough, was well-known in Shanghai for her many intellectual activities and writings on Chinese poetry and culture.

The Mid-Victorian Consul, whose vicissitudes will be dealt with by Dr. Macnair in his lecture, was T. T. Meadows, who served in China during the middle of the 19th Century, his chief claim to fame being his book on "The Chinese and Their Rebellions," published in 1856. Dr. Macnair is well qualified to deal with this subject as his special studies in China have been largely concerned with early relations between China and foreign countries, upon which he has written a number of valuable books.

The meeting is open to the public.

MR. Charles Henry Salter, of New College, Oxford, has been awarded the Chancellor's English Essay Prize, but his great interest in life is knitting. He is knitting a kettle-holder at the moment. He said: "I play tennis for my own amusement, but my great hobby is knitting." He is 20 years old and is in his second year at Oxford. His friend, Mr. Kenneth Stanley Kitchin, has won this year's Newdigate Prize for a 28-stanza poem, which took him "about a fortnight" to write.

"N.C.D.N." Photos.

25 Priests Ordained at Siccawei Ceremony

Twenty-five Chinese and foreign priests were ordained at a rare ceremony at Siccawei Cathedral yesterday, the priests representing seven nationalities. These pictures show aspects of the ceremony.

Shanghai Celebrations Of King's Birthday

Military Parades, Consular Reception to Be Held

Britons today will celebrate the King's birthday which, this year for the first time in the history of the British Empire, sees His Majesty receiving his people's homage in Canada, largest of the British Dominions. Officially the King's birthday is on December 14 but as this date follows his accession to the Throne by only two days, it was decided to celebrate the occasion during the month of June.

In Shanghai, although the city is not a part of the British Empire, the occasion will be celebrated no less loyally than in the Mother Country and other areas under the British flag. Military parades will be held by the 2nd Battalion, The East Surrey Regiment, and the 1st Battalion, he Seaforth Highlanders at the Great Western Road billets and the Racecourse respectively at 8.30 a.m. and 9.15. The day will be observed as a general holiday by all British naval, military and air units as is the custom at Home while all men o' war in port will fly British flags to commemorate the occasion.

Civilian celebrations include a reception at H.M. Consulate from 11.30 to 12.30 for all Britons (men only), and other receptions will be held in the Zero Club and at the Royal Air Force Association's Headquarters.

Under the auspices of the United Services Association a reception will be given to members of the American Legion (Frederick Ward post) and their wives at the Shanghai Race Club guest room from 7 to 8.30 p.m. The band of the 1st Battalion, The Seaforth Highlanders will be in attendance. Guests are asked to use the Mohawk Road entrance lifts at the south end of the members' stand.

Weekly Reunion of Zero Club

Expression of Sympathy to Submarine Victims

A brief pause of silence, on the proposal of Mr. J. D. Watt, President, was observed at the weekly reunion of the Zero Club yesterday in memory of the men who lost their lives in the disasters to the British submarine Thetis and the American submarine Squalus.

Yesterday's meeting was unusually distinguished by the number of guests attending the meeting. These included Sir Atholl MacGregor, Chief Justice of Hongkong, Sir Allan Mossop, Chief Judge of the Supreme Court of Shanghai, Rear-Admiral W. A. Glassford, Commander of the American Yangtze Patrol, and Major-General F. W. Simmons, British G.O.C.

Mr. Watt welcomed the guests to the Club and Sir Atholl MacGregor replied on behalf of the guests.

Importance of U.S. Military Power

Mr. Sumner Welles Gives Alternatives of Nation's Foreign Policy

New York, June 6.

The importance of the United States in the world fight for peace and the need for revision of the Neutrality Act in favour of the peace-loving countries, were emphasized today by Mr. Sumner Welles, Assistant State Secretary, in a speech at a Columbia University banquet.

"Today," he declared, "there is a very important question to be answered.

"It is: should we exercise our influence within the wise limits of our traditional policy, not engaging ourselves in political accords with foreign countries, or should we wait nonchalantly for whatever may happen and, if it happens, seek to save what we can from the wreckage?"

Mr. Welles proposed that the United States should maintain army and naval air forces at such a high standard as to prevent the country from ever becoming a victim of aggression.

Revision Urged

He proposed that the United States should be ready to join with her American neighbours in efficient defence of the continent.

Furthermore, he urged revision of the Neutrality Act so that it should not "constitute an encouragement or assurance to partisans of military conquest in other portions of the world."

At the same time, however, he emphasized that it should provide as great as possible a guarantee that the United States would not be involved in a war that she does not want.—Havas.

Fusion of Italian and German Air Forces?

First Blow to Paralyse French Transport

Rome, June 7.

The fusion of the German and Italian air forces, and the choice of objectives, are stated by the newspaper "Tevere" to have been the main subjects examined by the Italian and German under-secretaries of air at their recent meeting here.

"Not only must Italian and German air units," the journal says, "be merged into a single operative structure, but also their two organizations, from the point of view of air bases."

"Everybody," it adds, "realizes the importance, from the very beginning of hostilities, to strike hard at ports through which France counts on transporting her coloured armies—hers or Britain's—on whose aid she relies as a vital necessary, and also at ports through which British home troops may try to cross the Channel."—Reuter.

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Warning Against Encirclement

Herr Hitler Praises Work Of Legionaries in Spain; Gen. Franco Extolled

Berlin, June 7.

Chancellor Adolf Hitler warned Britain and other "encirclers" yesterday that they will be "sharply repulsed if they attempt to attack the Recih."

Der Fuehrer and Field Marshal Hermann Goering reviewed a parade of 12,000 German soldiers and aviators who fought in the Spanish civil war and Chancellor Hitler said the reception given these returning soldiers was the final answer to the "Democracies' lie that Italy and Germany wanted to conquer Spain."

"Your spirit," Herr Hitler told the civil war veterans, "shows that if the war mongers even attempt to attack Germany, they will be repulsed with a sharpness of which the encirclers as yet have no conception.

Chancellor Hitler paid a high tribute to the Spanish Republican forces and Generalissimo Francisco Franco, head of National Spain.

Horrors Experienced

"You soldiers saw the destruction in Spain with your own eyes," Herr Hitler said. "You experienced the horror of this fight. But you also learned to know a proud people which bravely and heroically fought for nearly three years to rescue their freedom, independence and national existence.

"You had the fortune to stand under the command of a field general who, through his own determination and undeviating belief in victory, became the saviour of his people.

"At this moment we all have only the sincere and hearty wish that it will be granted the noble Spanish people to accomplish a new and proud rise under the genius leadership of this man.

"Legionnaires and soldiers, long live the Spanish people and Gen. Franco!"

"Long live the Italian people and Il Duce!"

"Long live our people and our Greater German Reich!"

"Long live our German Legion!"—United Press.

Jewish Refugees Land In San Domingo

Government Drops Request For $500 a Person

Hamburg, June 7.

The Hamburg-Amerika motor vessel St. Louis has succeeded in landing her 922 Jewish passengers at San Domingo, in the Wet Indies, according to a report received here today.

The Government of San Domingo at first demanded $500 for each Jew, but later dropped the request.

Originally intending to land in Havana, the refugees were refused permission to do so by the Cuban authorities.—Reuter.

Italian Book Fair Tomorrow

Exhibition to Be Held at Casa D'Italia

Tomorrow, Friday, at 6 p.m. the "Fiera del Libro Italiano" (Fair of the Italian Book) will be inaugurated at the Casa d'Italia, 285 Route Maresca, and will remain open also during the 10th and 11th instant from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

The "Fair of the Book" is a special sale which is promoted each year by the Italian authorities and interested trade unions in the principal squares and public buildings of all the cities of Italy. Authorities, authors, editors, publishers, participate in these Fairs with the aim of promoting culture and the art of reading among all classes of people and acquaint them with the new books published during the year.

The Fair organized by the Casa d'Italia intends to be a replica of similar manifestations which take place in Italy. Over one thousand books will be exhibited and, although it is organized for the Italian community of Shanghai, all foreigners who may be interested are cordially invited to attend and visit the Fair.

On occasion of its inauguration, Dr. G. Constantini will hold a meeting on the well-known Italian writer Alfredo Pavzini, of the Academy of Italy, recently deceased. Following the meeting, Maestro Paci will conduct the "Concerto Grosso" of Corelli Gemignani "La Follia" for violins, cymbal and organ which will be played by the Shanghai Municipal Orchestra.

Decision Reversed in H.M Supreme Full Court

A sequel to a moneylending action in 1937 was heard in H.M. Supreme Full Court yesterday when a judgment entered by Judge P. Grant Jones in favour of defendant was reversed and awarded to plaintiff with costs. The appellant was Hari Singh, who was represented by Mr. Ranald McDonald. He asked for a reversal of the decision when in July 1937 a claim entered by him to recover $1,830 from Partap Singh failed.

According to appellant this sum represented a total of $1,500 lent to Partap Singh on a promissory note plus interest. He also asked that the costs of the previous action be paid by respondent together with the costs of the appeal. Before Judge Sir Athol MacGregor, Judge Sir Allan Mossop and Judge P. Grant Jones the costs were allowed. Mr. E. T. Maitland represented respondent.

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New Soviet Ambassador Uses Friendly Terms

Credentials Presented to President Roosevelt

Washington, June 6.

"In the present international situation, filled with menace to general peace, culture and progress, the feelings of mutual friendship between our nations acquire great positive significance,'" declared the new Soviet Ambassador, M. Oumansky, in presenting his credentials to President Roosevelt today.

"The foreign policy of my country," he added, "is permeated with a deep devotion to peace."

President Roosevelt assured the envoy of American co-operation always in maintaining and developing friendly relations.—Reuter.

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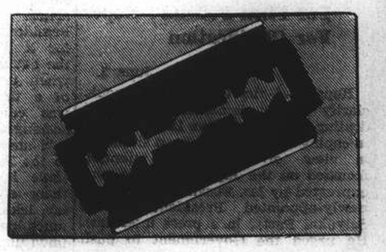

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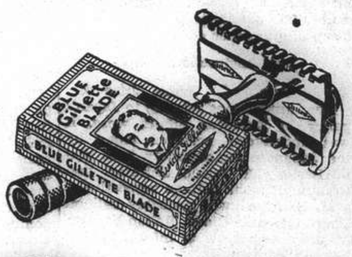

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"Roosevelt For Third Term" May Split Democrats

Powerful Support Seen for Setting Precedent; Backers Say No Other Man Can Fill Post

Washington, June 7.

A STORMY political battle which may split the Democratic Party loomed today over the movement to draft President Roosevelt for a third term in the White House.

The movement to draft the President for a third term, contrary to American political precedent, yesterday extended to Congress and the Cabinet as high Congressional and Administration leaders openly took sides on the issue.

The issue reached the House of Representatives when Mr. Martin J. Kennedy, Democratic Representative of New York, called upon the Democratic Party to renominate Mr. Roosevelt. Speaking on the floor of the House, Mr. Kennedy said the third term "myth" should be abandoned.

The Senate became involved in the dispute when Senator Rush D. Holt, Democrat of West Virginia, announced he would ask the Senate to voice formal opposition to a third term for Mr. Roosevelt.

Interior Secretary Joins In

Meanwhile, Mr. Harold Ickes, Secretary of Interior, wrote in an article in "Look" magazine that President Roosevelt should be drafted for a third term. His entry into the battle appeared to end the period when it could be argued that talk of a third term for the President was confined to those who were seeking to embarrass the President.

"I am too much personally devoted to the President to wish him to continue his heart-breaking job, were there anyone else to replace him," Mr. Ickes wrote. "But I am also too much devoted to my country to be unwilling to make a sacrifice for it, even, if necessary, the well-being and peace of a man who has earned peace."

Mr. Ickes charged that anti-Roosevelt Democrats were "stabbing the President in the back."

Mentioning the various Presidential possibilities of both parties, Mr. Ickes commented that "not one of them could be influential in world affairs and at the same time command the respect of his people."

The Undesirables

Those mentioned as undesirable possibilities for the Presidency were Vice-President John N. Garner, Mr. James Farley, Postmaster General, Mr. Henry Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, Mr. Thomas Dewey, famous New York District Attorney, Senator Arthur Vandenberg, Republican of Michigan, Senator Charles Taft, Republican of Ohio, and Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Republican of Massachusetts.

Meanwhile, Mr. Maury Maverick, former Democratic Representative from Texas and present Mayor of Dallas, indicated he would favour some Democratic candidate other than Vice-President Garner, although the latter is also a Texan. Mr. Maverick said he was opposed to the nomination of Mr. Garner "because I don't think he could win."

Further significance was attached to the movement to draft President Roosevelt for a third term when it was disclosed the President probably would begin a trans-continental tour on June 15 during which he will visit the San Francisco Exposition.

Efforts to draft the President for a third term were launched in New York on Monday when Mr. Raymond Schwartz announced the organization of an all-party progressive coalition for the sole purpose of bringing about Mr. Roosevelt's nomination.—United Press.

Japan's Attitude To Europe

Selyukai Leaders Pleads For Firm Policies; Hopes For Clarification

Tokyo, June 7.

Hope that the Government would clarify its "fundamental policies" in dealing with the "China Incident" and in coping with the European situation, in view of the world attention focussed on the Japan's attitude, was expressed by Mr. Fusanosuke Kuhara, newly-appointed President of the Seiyukai Party, in a press interview. He urged the Government to push forward its policies with firm determination, backed by public opinion.

Mr. Kuhara emphasized the need to consolidate the various machinery for the guidance and unification of the trend of public opinion, and fully to observe the desire of Baron Hiranuma, the Premier, for the complete co-operation of the nation with the Government in carrying out its policies.

The best way of ensuring lasting peace in the Orient and the world, and the collapse of Communism, Mr. Kuhara added, was to set up international machinery in Japan and China, and, if possible, in the world, for the achievement of the desired economic co-existence, co-prosperity and mutual assistance among the various races in the light of the principles of territorial non-aggression and administrative non-interference with other countries.—Reuter.

New Instructions Sent

Rome, June 6.

New instructions relating to Japan's policy in European affairs were, it was understood, received today by the Japanese Ambassadors here and in Berlin, M. Toshio Shiratori and General Hiroshi Oshima respectively.

M. Shiratori will probably call on Count Galeazzo Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister, tomorrow to inform him of Tokyo's communicated views.

Japanese quarters here declared that Tokyo now favoured in principle the reinforcement of the Anti-Comintern Pact and even the conclusion of a defensive military alliance with Rome and Berlin.

They added the proviso "under certain conditions," however. And these "certain conditions" were understood to concern in particular Soviet Russia's eventual attitude in world politics.

Count Ciano was returning to Rome only this evening from Naples, where he welcomed Italian legionaries back from the Spanish civil war.—Havas.

Militiamen Rescue Pirated Junks

Battle Off Woosung Saves Boats But Cargo Lost

After engaging pirates in a fierce battle, some scores of militiamen who live on Hwangsa Island, outside Woosung, have been able to rescue eight junkmen kidnapped by the buccaneers and also saved four junks which were attacked on Monday morning while sailing to Ningpo from Shanghai carrying $3,000 worth of sundry goods and oil. No casualties are reported but the cargo is a total loss the pirates having decamped with it in their own junks.

News of the piracy was obtained by Chinese press circles here only yesterday after the rescued junkmen had arrived in their once commandeered boats. The boats were anchored at Pootung and the rescued junkmen were quoted by one report as saying that the thought that the pirates were no other than members of the "army" organized with the alleged permission of Japanese garrison forces on Tsungming Island.

The victimized junks sailed from Shanghai in the early hours of Monday morning but when they reached the vicinity of Hwangsa Island they were met by three pirate junks. Several volleys were fired by the pirates ordering the boats to stop. The pirates soon got into the boats and roped up the eight junkmen before taking the goods to their own junks.

Towing the victimized boats carrying the kidnapped junkmen, the pirates were sailing towards Tsungming Island when the militiamen got wind of what had happened. The latter obtained boats and chased the pirate junks and when they reached the vicinity of Tsungming they found the pirate junks lined up to take up the challenge.

Being armed with modern weapons, the militiamen opened fire and the pirates gave in after a fierce gun battle. They escaped in their own junks leaving behind the pirated boats and the kidnapped junkmen.

Returning Legionaries Cheered at Naples

Naples, June 6.

A rousing welcome, with cheers and roses, was accorded 23,000 Italian Legionaries today as they paraded through the city.

In a message to the Italian Commander, General Gambara, the Spanish Minister of the Interior, Senor Suner, said:

"We shall never say farewell to your Legionaries, for we shall never separate. Our joys and sorrows will henceforth be shared, as the bonds of brotherhood, fused by blood, will never be severed."—Reuter.

Finland Rejects All Guarantees

Fortification of Aaland Islands Insisted On

Helsinki, June 6.

"Anybody wishing to help us without our request will be regarded as an invader and will be repulsed as such," The Foreign Minister, Mr. E. Erkko, asserted today in the Diet.

He was speaking of negotiations among the great Powers and was apparently referring particularly to Soviet insistence that Britain guarantee Finland's independence whether the latter asked for such a pledge or not.

He dealt at length with the problem of remilitarizing the strategic Aaland Isles, situated in the straits between Finland and Sweden and commanding entrance into both the Gulfs of Bothnia and Finland.

He emphasized that this question affected Finland especially and that Finland had to strengthen her defences.

Russia also agreed on the necessity of defending the Aaland islands and it was therefore not at all understandable why "obstacles are thrown in the way of Finland's fulfillment of her decision," M. Erkko continued.

"Details of the Aaland Isles' remilitarization plan are considered adequate by everyone except Russia.

"The fact that Finland is negotiating with Sweden over realization of the Aaland plan is no evidence that Finland is abandoning her neutrality," he added.

He pointed out that Finland had always carried out all her international engagements.

In conclusion, while asserting Finnish determination to maintain strict neutrality, he also declared that Finland would continue friendly co-operation with the Northern European States.—Havas.

Government Coalition Strong in Hungary

Final Elections Held; Thirty-Two Nazis

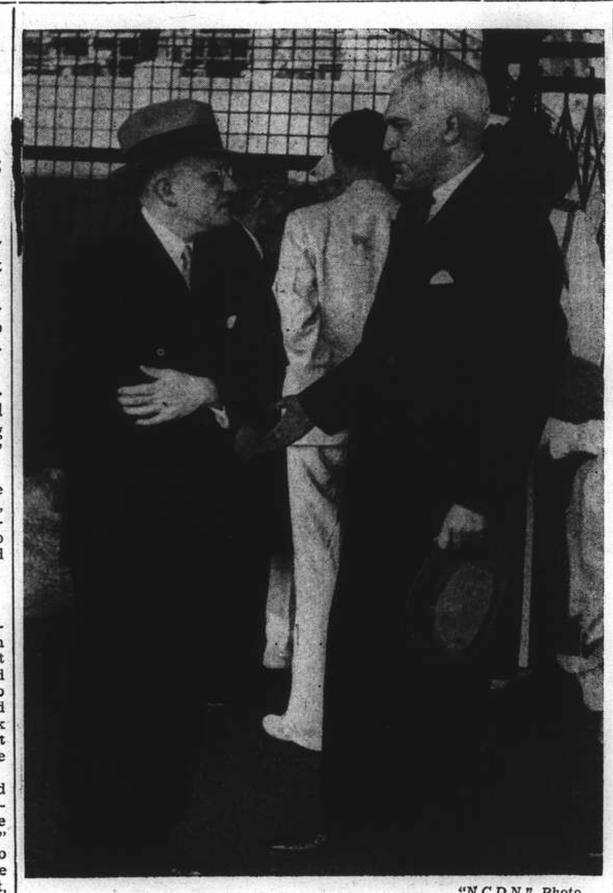
Budapest, June 6.

The Government coalition placed 190 members in the Lower Chamber, final legislative election returns revealed today. A total of 260 Deputies were elected to the Chamber.

The Agrarien Party is now represented by only fourteen Deputies, while the Liberals and moderate Socialists placed only five men each.

For the Opposition, there are 32 Nazis, five Independents, two Rightists and one member of the People's Will Party.

Of the Nazis, 28 belong to Hubay's group, four to Count Palfy's organization. There are also three members of the Natonial Christian Front.—Havas.



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Mr. Paul McNutt Leaves for U.S.

Mr. Paul McNutt, High Commissioner for the Philippines, left for the United States by the President Coolidge. Mr. McNutt is here seen with Mr. C. E. Gauss, U.S. Consul-General, on the Customs jetty before leaving yesterday.

Catholics Protect Nantao Property

Object to Demolition of Houses to Sell Bricks

An incident may develop in Nantao if the Chinese police there insist on tearing down houses belonging to the Catholic Church or to remove old building material which formerly were parts of the church property in the war-torn native city, it was learnt yesterday. The tearing-down process in Nantao has been going on for a long time and it is a fact known to Chinese circles that old bricks and other building materials from destroyed houses have been sold, in most cases without the knowledge of owners many of whom live in foreign settlements as refugees.

On Tuesday, when many workers were trying to remove such old building materials which belong to the Catholic Church at the alleged request of Chinese police there, a French Father went there in time to prevent the workers from doing so. According to a Chinese report, there was a dispute between the French Father and Chinese police on the spot and it is stated that the French Father threatened to make a report to authoritative quarters as a basis for representations.

Most of the Catholic Church property is located in Tung Ko Doo, outside the South Gate of Nantao where a Japanese-sponsored Chinese administration has been functioning. Several hundred houses of the church are reported to have been destroyed in the Shanghai hostilities but some of the houses still remain intact. On Tuesday morning, the Nantao police are reported to have hired workers to remove the old building materials in order to dispose of them to their own advantage.

For some time, the tearing-down process has been a subject of contention between the Nantao police and civil officials in the native city, according to the report. The Nantao police are said to have posted posters last month informing the populace that they had been ordered to tear down damaged houses.

Japanese Ship Diverted From Hongkong

Disagreement Causes Call At Macao

Canton, June 7.

As a result of the disagreement between the British and Japanese authorities over the memorandum signed by the Japanese in writing, providing for the passage of British and Japanese ships up and down the Pearl River, the O.S.K. ss. Oke Maru, chartered by the Japanese Government, has been diverted to Macao. The ship was due at Hongkong this morning.

It is learned from a well-informed source that one of the reasons for the disagreement is that the Japanese intended to run a bi-weekly passengers service between Canton and Hongkong, whereas the British were only allowed a fortnightly service.

Meanwhile, the Portuguese steamer Singcheong, which arrived here yesterday from Macao, making her first voyage since the Japanese occupation, is allowed weekly sailings.—Reuter.

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Picked Up Off Boston After Forced Landing

New York, June 6.

Believed by his friends to have been attempting a flight across the Atlantic, Mr. Eshelman, 22-year old American flier, was rescued today seventeen miles from Boston after he had made a forced landing in the sea.

He was picked up by the trawler Aster, which sent a radio message to Reuter that Mr. Eshelman "gave his destination as Mars."

Friends of the airman at Camden, New Jersey, said that he hired a 'plane from the manager of a local flying school for an hour's flight.

According to the manager, Mr. Eshelman has only done about ten hours flying and is only licensed to fly near the Camden aerodrome.—Reuter.

Offences Against State Bill Passed

Will Become Law Within Five Days' Time

Dublin, June 6.

Eire's special code to deal with treason was completed today when the Dail passed the Offences Against the State Bill, aimed at authorizing the establishment of special criminal courts, as amended by the Senate.

The Bill, which becomes law in five days, provides wide powers to deal with sedition or activities of subversive organizations.

Special civil courts without juries, or military courts, can be set up and powers to intern persons or ban organizations are also included.

There is much speculation as to whether the Irish Republican Army will be banned, as the action of this body last December led to the introduction of the Bill and a sister-Bill to deal with treason, which is now law.—Reuter.

U.S. Envoy to London Given Degree

London, June 6.

The American Ambassador in London, Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy, and Lord Chatfield, Minister for Co-ordination of Defence, were among the recipients of honorary degrees at Cambridge today at a congregation at which the Chancellor of the University, Lord Baldwin, presided.—Wireless through Reuter.

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Governor of Kenya's Significant View

In War He Would Act Beyond Frontiers

London, June 6.

Exceptional interest was aroused in local Parliamentary quarters today by a declaration made this morning by Sir Robert Brooke-Popham, Governor of Kenya Colony, who stated that the commander of Kenya's armed forces would, in case of hostilities in the colony, "exercise authority beyond the frontiers of Kenya."

Sir Robert, aeronautical aide-de-camp to the King until 1937, made his significantly interpreted statement before the Kenya Legislative Assembly.

Political quarters were most interested because, as they pointed out, in the event of war, political frontiers would cease to exist and only strategic realities would be taken into consideration.

The role of the commander of British army and air force divisions in Kenya would then be of the greatest importance.

Strategic African Bases

One Parliamentary leader emphasized Kenya's proximity to Uganda Protectorate, the rich cotton-growing Anglo-Egyptian Sudan and British Somaliland.

These territories, together with Aden and French Djibouti formed strategic African bases of the utmost significance, this M.P. asserted.

Other quarters pointed out that since Tanganyika Territory was a mandated area, it was impossible to recruit native troops there and that its defence therefore fell in a large measure on Kenya.

The King's African Rifles constituted the nucleus of a potentially powerful defence force, they continued. Local Arab and Hindu troops would aid in defending these British East African possessions.

And, most important, they concluded was the fact that these strategic lands were only a few days' travel from India, where there are huge reserves of Indian soldiers used to tropical climate and general colonial conditions of life.—Havas.

Africa Prepared

Nairobi, June 6.

A General Officer commanding the armed forces with authority beyond the boundaries of Kenya will be appointed in the event of an outbreak of hostilities, the Governor informed the Legislature today.

Outlining the Colony's war plans, the Governor stated that these were provided for by legislation against profiteering, compensation for civilian victims and prevention of foreclosure.—Reuter.

Neutrality Amendment Defeated

Administration Success In Congress

Washington, June 7.

The House of Representatives Foreign Affairs Committee yesterday defeated a neutrality bill amendment providing for a mandatory embargo against the shipment of arms to belligerent nations.

The Administration had recommended the defeat of the amendment and the vote was considered the first real test of the nation's forthcoming neutrality policy which is being revised by the State Department.

The committee vote was close, 11 to 9, against the embargo amendment.—United Press.

Yankee Clipper Arrives At Marseilles

Marseilles, June 6.

The Yankee Clipper, Pan-American Airways trans-Atlantic mail carrier, landed at Marignane, Marseilles' seaplane port, at 4.01 p.m. today en route to Southampton.—Havas.

Miss Aurora Tasselli, aged 19, was the first Civil Air Guard girl to be killed when a collision occurred between two planes at Horne near Horley (Surrey), took up flying against her mother's advice. She was a shorthand-typist for White, Child and Beney, Ltd., merchants and engineers, and recently the firm made an offer to all its staff that any of them who wished to join the Civil Air Guard would have their expenses paid by the firm and given time off for training.

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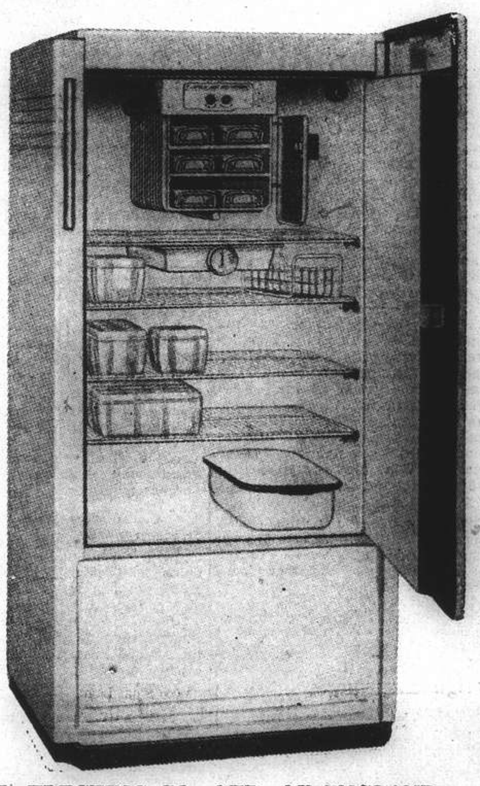

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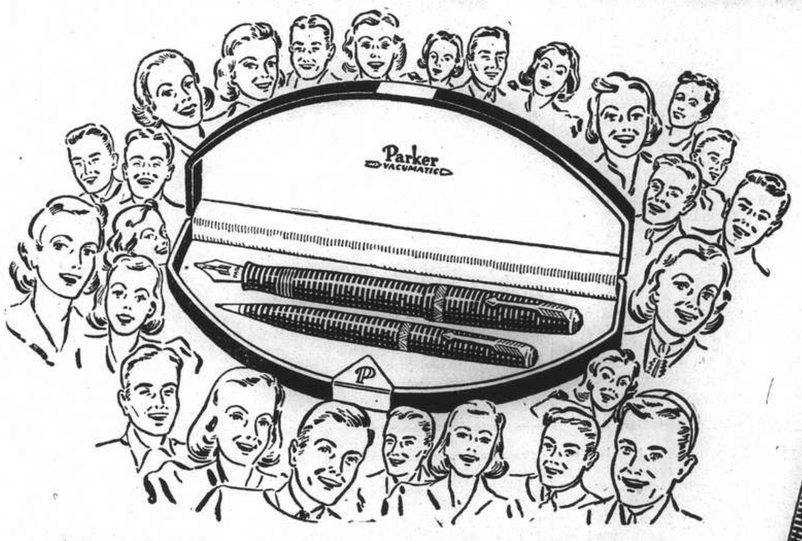

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£1 @ 8d.	$ 30.00
U.S. $100 @ 15⅝	$640.00

BANK'S BUYING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 8⅛	$ 29.53 N
U.S. $100 @ 15⅞	$629.92 N
London—demand	8⅛ N
4 months' sight credits	8 3/32 N
4 months' sight docts	8 3/32 N
6 months' sight credits	8 3/16 N
6 months' sight docts	8¼ N
New York—demand	U.S. $15⅞ N
4 months' sight credits	16
4 months' sight docts	16⅛
Paris—4 months' sight docts	Fcs. Nom.

INTERBANK CLOSING SELLING RATES

Sterling ..... 7½ N U.S. ......$14⅝ N
Hongkong/London 1/2⅞

Chartered Bank

Canadian $100 @ 14⅝	$683.76
Hongkong $50⅛	$100.00

Netherlands Trading Society

Netherlands Guilders	Buying	28½
Java Guilders	"	28½
Netherlands Guilders	Selling	28¼ N
Java Guilders	"	28¼ N

American Express Co., Inc.

Buying	U.S.$100=$629.921	£1=$29.538
Selling	U.S.$100=$640.00	£1=$30.00

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

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Italian Bank for China

It. Lire 3.01=$1 Swiss Frs. .071=$1
Tourist Lire 3.32 ....$1

Local Exchange Report

Messrs. Drakeford, Davis & Wilson

INTERBANK CASH DELIVERY

	Highest	Lowest
£	8 7/32	7⅝
U.S. G.$	16 3/32	14½
Yen	—	—

MERCHANT CLOSING RATES

SELLING Cash		BUYING June	
£ T.T.	7¼	4 m/s. l.c.	7 9/16
G.$ T.T.	14⅛	4 m/s. l.c.	15¼
Fcs. T.T.	535	4 m/s.	570
Rs. T.T.	40½	15 d/s.	42½

BAR SILVER

	READY	FOR'D
London pence per std. oz.	20	19 13/16
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	42¾	—
Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas	52.11	—

Bombay offtake 25 bars.

London silver was unchanged both ready and forward, being 20.- for ready and 19 13/16 forward. New York was unchanged at 42¾ and Bombay was unchanged at 52.11.

It was reported business was small. There was a little American trade demand. Buyers were satisfied. Market ruled steady. After the official fixing the market was steady but idle.

The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 8.- sterling and 15⅝ U.S.$.

The Interbank market was completely disorganized owing to the control ceasing to sell to Banks at any rate. After about 9.15 there was no Interbank market, though a good deal was done before that time in U.S.$ at 16 3/32 Cash and 16 1/16 June. Later business was done as low as 7⅝ cash, but at the close no selling rates were quotable.

Foreign Exchanges

Bombay, Rupee T. T. on: June 6.

Japan	78¾	London	1/5 55/64
New York	286⅞	2 mths	
Shanghai	48	,, (sellers)	1/5 55/64
Hongkong	85½	,, (buyers)	1/5 61/64

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	468.56	Shanghai	8 5/16d N
Paris	176.75	Bombay	1/5 31/32
Berlin	11.68½	Hongkong	1/2 15/16
Amsterdam	8.81	Singapore	2/3 31/32
Brussels	27.52	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	42.25	,, (buying)	Unq.
Milan	89.07	C'slovakia	136.62 S
Berne	20.74¾	S.—sellers.	

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.12	Japan	27.34
Spain	Unq.	Shanghai	16.12
Holland	53.20½	Austria	Unq.
Paris	2.65⅛	C'slovakia	Unq.
Brussels	17.02¾	Hungary	19.75
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.72
S'zerland	22.58¾	Yugo Slavia	2.30
Sweden	24.13	Greece	0.85⅞
Norway	23.55	Bulgaria	1.20
Denmark	20.92	Finland	2.07
Montreal	99.885	Poland	18.83
Brazil	5.50		

London	4.68⅝
,, Demand	4.68½
,, Bankers' 60 days bills	4.68 5/16
,, Commercial 60 days bills	4.68 3/32
Buenos Aires Paper	29.07
Buenos Aires Paper, market rate	23.15
Montreal on London	4.69⅛

—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

London: June 6.

Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	0 11/16%
Bank Bills,	6 months	1⅛%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	3¼%
Fine Trade Bills	6 months	3¾%
Call Money		0½%

New York:

Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0½%B 0 7/16%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months	0 9/16%B 0½%A
Call Money	1%

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Bumper Wheat Crop Expected in Japan

Tokyo, June 7.

Claimed to indicate a successful overcoming of agricultural labour dislocation attendant upon the China conflict, a bumper wheat crop today was expected for this year by the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry. Under present calculations, not only will Japan's domestic meeds be fully met from the home-grown crop, but between 13,000,000 and 14,000,000 bags of wheat should be available for export to Manchoukuo and North China, experts estimated.

Surveys of crops in 38 out of 48 prefecture, besides the Hokkaido, on May 20 indicated that the wheat crop this year would reach 9,645,000 koku or 49,372,755 bushees. This already represents a 21.3 increase over the total actual crop of last year and a 14.9 increase over the average crop for the last five years.

With the production in the still unreported areas expected to be normal, the total crop was expected to reach 66,447,000 bushels.—Domei.

Berlin Bourse

Berlin, June 5.

Today's share market was just as weak as yesterday's and the last days of the previous week. Buderus again lost 1.14 to 96, Rheinstahl was one point down with 127, Siemens was 1.1.4 up with 187, Bemeberg was also 1.14 up with 133¾. The exchange concluded somewhat more friendly with Rheinstahl making up its previous loss.

Call money stood unchanged at 2¼ to 2½ per cent.—Trans-Ocean.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

Scenes of unprecedented activity and firmness were witnessed at the half-day session, and for the first time since the inauguration of the new system the volume of trading (nearly 250,000 shares) was so great that neither the recording of transactions or the ticker could keep pace with the flow of orders. The market's strength was of course due to the Control Committee withdrawing support for exchange at 8¼d. and the consequent collapse in rates. It is impossible to pick out any special stock for mention, but it would be quite safe to say that practically every counter advanced and in some cases 5 per cent. or more, for example Ewos which rose to $20½ closing at $20.40.

In the rubber market frenzied conditions prevailed as this section is particularly popular with those who seek exchange protection for their capital.

Official Averages

1939 High	1939 Low		Today's Averages	Change
166.34	105.32	General	156.83	+1.85
156.76½	95.55	Rubbers	151.27½	+1.34

Total 246,372 shares, 885 bonds

Morning Session

$8,000 China Realty 8%	$ 72.75
$20,000 Marden 6% Debs.	88.00
$27,000 China Realty 8%	72.50
$5,000 China Realty 8%	72.00
$2,000 China Realty 8%	71.75
$1,000 China Realty 8%	72.00
$22,000 S'hai Power 5½% Debs.	$ 87.75
500 Anglo Dutch	10.00
500 Anglo Java	16.60
500 Anglo Java	16.70
700 Anglo Java	16.80
200 Anglo Java	16.90
1,800 Anglo Java	17.20
700 Anglo Java	17.30
300 Anglo Java	17.20
6,000 Cheng	0.49
1,000 Consolidated	4.85
2,000 Consolidated	4.90
2,500 Consolidated	4.92½
2,000 Dominion	6.00
1,000 Java Consolidated	2.60
1,000 Java Consolidated	2.65
1,000 Java Consolidated	2.67½
3,000 Java Consolidated	2.70
1,000 Java Consolidated	2.72½
3,000 Java Consolidated	2.82½
2,000 Kota	3.00
11,000 Kroewoek	1.32
9,000 Kroewoek	1.33
3,000 Kroewoek	1.34
9,000 Kroewoek	1.35
2,000 Kroewoek	1.36
12,000 Kroewoek	1.37
3,900 Langkat	11.00
300 Langkat	11.10
3,000 Padang	1.30
13,000 Rubber Trust	4.95
6,000 Senawang	0.99
2,000 Senawang	1.00
1,000 Senawang	1.03
975 Kedah	6.00
3,000 Kelantan	0.40
9,000 Kelantan	0.41
1,000 Seremban	1.73
2,000 Seremban	1.71
6,000 Tanah Merah	2.00
4,000 Tanah Merah	2.05
2,000 Tanah Merah	2.07½
4,000 Tanah Merah	2.10
5,000 Tebong	0.94
9,000 Tebong	0.95
2,000 Tebong	0.96
300 Ziangbe	14.20
100 Ziangbe	14.30
1,000 Central Prop.	15.00
2,000 I. I. Trust	4.97½
2,000 I. I. Trust	5.00
2,000 I. I. Trust	5.05
500 I. I. Trust	5.10
1,000 I. I. Trust	5.15
1,000 I. I. Trust	5.20
2,000 I. I. Trust	5.25
3,000 I. I. Trust	5.30
500 S'hai Loan	6.75
500 S'hai Loan	6.70
1,000 S'hai Loan	6.80
1,000 S'hai Loan	6.85
1,000 S'hai Loan	6.90
25 S. & H. Wharf	240.00
2,500 S'hai Loan	6.95
1,500 S'hai Loan	7.00
500 S'hai Loan	6.95
2,500 Yangtsze Finance	8.10
500 Int. Assurance	8.80
500 Int. Assurance	8.90
11,000 China Realty	0.40
500 S'hai Land	9.85
1,000 S'hai Land	9.90
4,500 S'hai Land	10.00
1,000 New Eng. (Ord)	8.30
2,000 New Eng. (Ord)	8.40
1,000 New Eng. (Ord)	8.50
500 New Eng. (Ord)	8.60
50 S. & H. Wharf	240.00
1,300 Wheelock	39.00
200 Wheelock	39.25
700 Wheelock	39.50
100 Wheelock	39.75
100 C. G. Omnibus	31.00
50 S'hai Telephone	103.00
200 Tram (Bearer) £1	41.25
100 Kaiping	31.75
100 Kaiping	32.00
200 Kaiping	32.50
1,500 Metal Ind. of China	6.50
2,500 Metal Ind. of China	6.55
4,000 Exploration	7.25
1,000 Exploration	7.30
3,500 Exploration	7.25
1,500 Exploration	7.30
500 Exploration	7.25
500 Exploration	7.30
500 Exploration	7.35
500 Exploration	7.30
1,400 Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.70
800 Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.80
700 Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.90
500 Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.80
2,000 Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.90
700 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.00
200 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.20
700 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.30
400 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.20
1,100 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.30
900 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.40
2,100 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.50
500 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.60
600 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.50
582 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.40
400 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.60
700 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.50
200 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.40
1,000 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.50
500 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.40
200 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.30
1,400 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.40
1,100 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.50
400 Ewo Mills (Ord)	20.40
50 S'hai Tugs. (Pref)	57.50
400 China Imp. & Exp.	19.00

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25 Ewo	$ 19.80
200 Land	10.00
25 Kedah	6.00
900 Kota	3.00
10 Dominion	5.95
300 Y. Finance	7.95
200 Exp.	7.30
45 C. Realty	0.41
200 C. Realty	0.37
400 Exp.	7.20
200 Land	9.90
12 Ewo	20.80
50 Wheelock	39½
200 Exp.	7.30
12 Ewo Mills (Ord)	19.90
435 Int. Assurance	5.10
423 Int. Assurance	8.85
200 New Eng. (Ord)	8.45

British Commodities

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

London, June 6.

Quietly steady conditions continued to prevail in the commodity markets.

London Rubber: Spot, buyers 8¼ unch: sellers 8 5/16 —1/16; July delivery, buyers 8¼ —1/16; sellers 8 5/16 —1/16.

London Sugar (Buyers): Aug. 6/9½ +1½; Dec. 6/- +¼; Mar. 6/0½ +¼.

Liverpool Wheat: July 4/2¼ —⅜; Oct. 4/5¼ —⅜; Dec. 4/6¾ —¼.

Liverpool Cotton: American Futures: July 5.02 +5; Sept. 4.75 +7; Oct. 4.67 +5; Nov. 4.56 +5; Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7): No. 2 contract: July 6.58 +5; Sept. 6.58 +5; Oct. 6.62 +7; Nov. 6.65 +7.

London Metals: Copper, Standard, cash, sellers £42¼ —3/16; 3 mths sellers £42 9/16 —¼; Electrolytic, buyers £47¾ —¾; sellers £48¾ —¼; Tin, Standard, cash, sellers £225¾ —¾; 3 mths sellers £223½ —¾; Lead, Foreign, official price, sellers £14⅜ —3/16; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £14 9/16 —3/16; Spelter, Ordinary, official price, sellers £14⅛ unch; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £14 5/16 unch.—Reuter.

New York Stocks

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

New York, June 6.

Prices on the Stock Exchange today advanced from fractions to about 1 point under good buying, inspired by the recent lack of selling and continued good scattered business news. Steels were bolstered by the advancing scrap markets, whilst coppers continued to reflect the better tone of the commodity markets. Motors ruled firm on prospects of an early settlement of the strike in the Briggs Manufacturing Company's plant. The volume of trading showed an improvement, amounting to 600,000 shares.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	138.84	136.98	138.36	+1.30
20 Rails	28.53	28.16	28.43	+0.53
15 Utilit.	23.88	23.47	23.81	+0.35
40 Bonds	—	—	89.68	+0.16
11 Commod.	—	—	50.49	—0.04

	June 5	6
Adams Express	8	7⅞
Allegheny Ludlum Steel	17½	17⅞
Allied Stores	9¼	9½
Allis Chalmers	35⅝	36¼
Amerada Corp.	66½	67½
Amer. Can	93½	94½
Amer. & For. Power	2½	2⅝
,, ,, $7 pfd.	19	20
Amer. Gas & Elec.	34½	35
Amer. Locomotive	18⅛	18¾
Amer. Metal	B 29¾	30½
Amer. Radiator	12	12⅝
Amer. Rolling Mill	14¼	14⅝
Amer. Smelting	42	43
Amer. Sugar Refining	18	18
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	165	165¾
Amer. Tobacco "B"	84½	84⅝
Amer. Waterworks	9½	10⅛
Anaconda Copper	*24¾	25¼
Atchison, T. & S. Fe	29⅜	29¾
Auburn	—	—
Baltimore & Ohio	5¼	5⅜
Barber Asphalt Corp.	B 13½	13⅝
Barnsdall Oil Co.	14⅜	14½
Bendix Aviation	23½	23⅝
Bethlehem Steel	58⅛	58⅝
Bliss (E.W.)	10	9½
Boeing Airplane Co.	22¾	23⅛
Borg Warner	23⅞	24¼
Briggs Mfg. Co.	21⅜	21¾
Bklyn-Manhattan Trans.	11⅞	12
,, $6 cum. pfd.	40	40⅝
Can. Pacific Rly.	4¾	4⅞
Case, J.I.	—	—
Celanese Corp.	18	18½
Chase Nat. Bank	B 32¾	B 33¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	33¾	34½
Chrysler	69¾	70⅝
Columbia Gas & Elec.	6	6¼
,, 6% "A" pfd.	88¾	88⅜
Coml. Credit	47	47½
Comm. & Southern (ord.)	1¾	1⅜
,, $6 cum. pfd.	59¼	59
Consolid. Edison	30¾	31¼
Consolid. Oil	7⅝	7¾
Continental Can	37¼	37½
Continental Oil	23½	24
Corn Products	62½	62⅞
Curtiss Wright (com.)	5½	5¾
,, ,, "A"	26½	26¾
Deere & Co.	20¼	20⅝
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	18¾	19
Douglas Aircraft	69	69¾
Du Pont de Nemours	147¼	148¼
Eagle Picher Lead	B 9	9¼
Eaton Manufacturing Co.	22	22¼
Elec. Auto Lite	28⅝	29¾
Elec. Bond & Share	8⅛	8½
,, $5 pfd.	55	56¼
,, $6 pfd.	64⅝	65¼
Elec. Pwr. & Lt.	27⅞	28
Flintkote	20¾	20½
Food Machinery Corp.	28½	B 28¼
Gen. Amer. Trans.	47⅞	47½
Gen. Elec.	35⅝	36
Gen. Motors	44⅛	45
Gen. Rly. Signal	18	17¾
Glidden Co.	17½	18¼
Goodrich (B.F.)	17½	17⅞
,, $5 pfd.	68	—
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	27⅛	28⅛
Great Nthrn. Iron Ore	15	15
Great Nthrn. Rly.	21½	22½
Great Western Sugar	26⅛	26¼
Greyhound Corp.	18½	18¾
Hecker Products	12	11⅞
Homestake Min.	62¾	—
Indus. Rayon	B 20⅜	20¾
Int. Harvester	59½	60
Int. Nickel	49½	49⅝
Int. Tel. & Tel.	7⅝	7⅜
Johns Manville	B 73½	76¼
Jones & Laughlin	B 44	B 44
Kennecott	32½	33½
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	46⅞	47⅞
Lockheed Aircraft	27¾	27⅝
Loew's Inc.	43¾	44½
Manhattan Shirt Co.	—	12½
Martin, Glenn L. Co.	34⅜	34¼
McKesson & Robbins	B 13¾	B 14½
Monsanto Chemical	97½	98¾
Montgomery Ward	50⅞	51⅛
Nat. City Bank	B 25¼	B 25¾
Nat. Dairy Products	16	16
Nat. Distillers	26¼	26⅛
Nat. Gypsum	11½	11⅝
Nat. Lead	21	21½
Nat. Power & Lt.	7¾	7⅝
Nat. Steel Corp.	63½	64¼
Nat. Supply Co.	—	8⅜
New York Central	15¼	15⅜
Niagara Hudson Power	6¾	6¾
North Amer. Aviation	16	15⅝
North Amer. Co.	21⅞	22⅜
Northern Pacific	8⅞	8¾
Pacific Gas & Elec.	30⅞	32
Pacific Lighting	48½	49
Packard Motors	3½	3⅜
Paramount Pictures Inc.	9½	9⅞
Pennsylvania R.R.	18½	18½
Phelps Dodge	32¾	33⅞
Phillips Petroleum	36	36
Public Serv. of N.J.	37	37¼
Pullman, Inc.	26¼	26⅞
Pure Oil	7⅝	7⅝
Radio Corp. of Amer.	6⅜	6⅜
Republic Steel Co.	16⅝	16⅝
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	38¾	39½
Richfield Oil Corp.	8	8
Safeway Stores	42⅛	43⅜
Schenley	—	—
,, 5½% pfd.	71	70¾
Sears Roebuck	75⅛	75¼
Seversky Aircraft	3½	3½
Shell Union Oil	12¼	12⅜
Socony-Vacuum	11⅞	12⅛
Sthrn. Pacific	13½	13¾
Sthrn. Rly. 5% pfd.	21⅝	22⅜
Sperry Corp.	42¾	43⅜
Stand. Brands	6¼	6⅜
Stand. Gas & Elec.	2⅞	3
Stand. Oil of Calif.	26⅜	27
Stand. Oil of N.J.	43⅜	44
Stone & Webster	11¼	11⅞
Swift International	27	26⅞
Technicolor	16½	16¼
Texas Corp.	39½	40
Texas Gulf Sulphur	28¼	28½
Transamerica	6	6⅛
Tw. Century Fox	21⅝	21⅜
,, ,, pfd.	—	30⅜
Un. Carbide & Carbon	77⅜	78½
Un. Pacific	B 94¼	97
Un. Aircraft	37	37
Un. Air Lines Trans.	10⅜	10⅜
Un. Corp.	2⅜	2½
,, $3 cum. pfd.	35¼	35½
Un. Gas Corp.	—	2
Un. Gas Improvement	12⅞	13
U. S. Rubber	41⅛	42½
,, 8% pfd.	109	109¾
U. S. Steel	49	49⅝
Vanadium	20¾	21¼
Warner Bros. Picts.	5	5
Westinghouse Elec.	95½	96½
Woodward Iron	B 17¼	18

BONDS

Amer. & For. Power	63½	65¼
Brazil	17	17⅝
Baltimore & Ohio R.R.	21⅛	21½
Cities Serv. Pwr.	B 82⅞	83¾
Erie R.R.	10½	10¼
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s	69	69
Minas Geraes	B 11½	B 11½
New England Gas & Elec.	67¼	67⅞
Peru	10	10¼
Rio Grande do Sul	B 11⅛	B 11⅛
Sao Paulo	B 9½	B 9½
Sthrn. Pacific Co.	43⅝	44½
Stand. Gas & Elec.	65½	65¼

WEEKLY CLOSING STOCK

	May 31	June 6
Air Associates	B 7¼	B 7¼
Alaska Juneau	8½	8¼
Amer. Brake Shoe	37½	37½
Ass. Gas & Elec.	8	8
Atlan. Gulf & W. Ind.	13	B 11⅛
Atlantic Refining	20¾	20⅛
Atlas Corp.	7⅝	7⅝
Baltimore & Ohio $4 pfd.	7⅛	B 6⅝
Bank of Amer.	B 34	B 34
Borden Co.	21	20½
Chesapeake Corp.	20⅞	21¾
Chic. & North Western	B 0½	0½
Coml. Solvents	11¼	11
Consumers Pwr.	99¼	100
Corn Products 7% pfd.	174¼	B 173
Coty Inc.	5⅛	5½
Crane Co.	24	24¼
Delaware & Hudson	17⅝	17⅝
Dist. Corp. Seagrams	83	B 83
Elec. Boat Co.	12¼	*11⅞
Elec. Power & Lt.	8⅛	8¼
Elec. Storage Battery	29¾	B 28⅛
Freeport Sulphur	20¾	20½
Gen. Cigar	21	B 20½
Gen. Foods	45	44½
Gen. Mills	86½	86
Granby Consolid. Mining	6⅛	6⅛
Int. Dept. Stores	11⅛	11
Lorillard	23⅛	23⅜
Masonite Corp.	B 41¾	41¼
Mountain City Copper	4⅛	3⅞
Mueller Brass	B 20½	21¾
Nash Kelvinator	7	6¾
Nat. Power & Lt.	81½	82
Patino Mines	10	B 9⅞
Sthrn. Cal. Edison	26¾	27
Sthrn. Rly.	15¾	15⅜
Sterling Prods.	76	76¾

London Stocks

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

London, June 6.

In the absence of any fresh buying interest, prices on the Stock Exchange today generally tended to drift downward, though the undertone remained fully steady.

Among foreign bonds, Brazilian issues provided the day's feature by recording sharp advances on renewed hopes of a resumption of the debt service.

Elsewhere, generally quiet conditions prevailed, apart from occasional buying of Kaffirs.—Reuter.

	June 5	6
War Loan 3½% (Red.)	95 3/16	95⅛

JAPANESE BONDS

Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	37	36¾
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	45	45

Osaka, June 7.

Kogo 5% Y.104.30

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL

Allied Ironfounders	18/9XD	18/9
Armstrong Stevens	6/6	6/6
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	39/3	39/3
Austin Motors, ord.	32/6	32/6
Bristol Aeroplane	22/1½	22/3
British American Tob.	100/-XD	100/-
Cable & W., new form	55⅜	55
Cammell Laird, ord.	8/4½	8/1½
Courtaulds	28/4½	28/1½
Distillers	95/3	95/6
Dunlop Rubber	29/-	29/1½
General Elec. (Eng.)	79/4½	79/-
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	113/-	112/6
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	19/6	19/6
Imp. Chem. Indus.	31/10½	31/9
Imp. Tobacco	133/9	134/4½
Leyland Motors	94/4½	94/4½
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	59/6XB	59/6
Pressed Steel, com.	19/1½	19/1½
Rolls-Royce	112/6	112/9
Smethwick Drop Forgings	16/-	15/9
Tate & Lyle	63/9	63/10½
Turner & Newall	81/-	81/-
United Steel	25/-	25/3
Vickers, ord.	20/1½	20/1½
Woolworths	65/1½	65/1½

MISCELLANEOUS

Anglo Dutch	27/9	27/6
Rubber Pltn. Inv. Trust	28/9	28/10½

MINES

Burma Corp.	8/9	8/9
Commonwealth Min.	1/-	1/-
Marsman Invest.	16/6	16/6
Randfontein Ests.	40/-	40/-
Sub-Nigel	230/-	228/9
Tanami Gold Min.	4½d.	4½d.
Western Holdings	14/-	14/-

OILS

..		..
Anglo Iranian	81/3	81/3
Burmah	75/7½	75/7½
Mexican Eagle	8/9	8/7½
Shell Trans. & Trad.	86/3XD	86/10½

XD—Ex dividend. XB—Ex Bonus.

CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.

4½% Gold Loan, 1898	£64	63
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	61½	61
4½% Anglo-French Loan	54	52
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	33	33
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	49½	48½
6% Stg. Notes, 1925	16½	16½
5% Honan Rly., 1905	20	20
5% Hukuang Rly., 1913	21	21
5% ,, ,, (Ger. Is.)	19½	19½
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	18	18
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	24	24
5% ,, ,, B.	17	17
5% ,, ,, G.	17	17
5% ,, ,, (Supl. Loan) B.	17	17
5% ,, ,, (Supl. Loan) G.	17	17
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	18½	18½
S'hai Elec. Construction	25/- N	25/- N
S'hai Waterworks "A"	19½ N	19½ N
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	30½	30½
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	7⅞	7⅞
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	86	86
,, ,, (Col. Reg.)	87	87
Chinese Eng. & Min.	21/6	21/6
Chosen Corp.	5/-	5/-
Pekin Syndicate	2/- N	2/- N
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	19/4½	19/4½

N—Nominal.

New York Stocks Up

New York, June 6.

Prices on the New York Stock Exchange advanced between fractions of a point and two points today to reach a new high in the current recovery. Volume increased as the industrial average made its 13th advance in 16 sessions and reached the highest level since March 29.

U.S. Rubber was very active and gained 1¾ points. Rails, coppers, mercantiles and electrical equipments joined in the advance. Oils firmed and utilities made several advances. Several new highs in a year or longer were reached. Trading was quiet near the close and most issues held their early gains.

Wall Street hears that Canada Dry will earn $1.60 for the current fiscal year as compared with $1.12 last year. Westinghouse Electric is meeting investment demand. Colgate-Palmolive-Peet first half earnings will be above the corresponding period of last year. Paramount's earnings will be ahead of the first quarter.

Cautious optimism is spreading through the financial district but traders on the whole maintain an attitude of watchful waiting because of the prospects of a technical reaction.

The general belief is that the market has done very well recently. The dullness of trading makes predictions difficult and commentators are hedging carefully pending a definite indication of the trend. The majority of experts continue to believe that the trend is upward.

Favourable market factors today included:

1. The strength of steel scrap.
2. Continued improvement in the sale of consumers goods.
3. The reported improvement in the electrical equipment industry.
4. Progress in Congress toward tax revision.

Among the unfavourable factors were these:

1. The uncertain European outlook.
2. Anticipation of a decline in car loadings.
3. The drop in commercial loans by Federal Reserve member banks.
4. The persistent weakness of the guilder.—United Press.

Texas Pacific Land	7⅞	7¾
Tidewater Ass. Oil	12⅜	12⅝
Timken Detroit Axle	14⅛	13⅞
Un. Biscuit	17½	17¾
Un. Light & Power "A"	1⅞	1⅝
U. S. Pipe & Fdry.	42¼	41
U. S. Realty & Imp.	3⅛	2¼
U. S. Smelt.	52¾	51½
Westinghouse Air Brakes	22	21¾
Yellow Truck & Coach "B"	15⅞	15⅝
Youngstown Sheet & Tube	37⅝	37¾

WEEKLY CLOSING BOND

Anglo-Chilean Nitrate Corp.	B 23¼	25
Argentine	79⅛	79⅞
Bethlehem Steel	105	105½
Brooklyn-Manhattan	77	77¼
Chic., Milwaukee, St.	7¼	7⅛
Columbia Gas & Elec.	102¼	102⅜
Denver & Rio Grande	B 9¼	B 9½
Elec. Power & Lt.,	76	74⅝
Mortgage Bank	B 26	B 26
Nat. Power & Lt.	102⅜	102⅝
,, Dec.	B 103⅝	B 103½
New England Power	99½	99⅜
New York, Chic.	B 53½	59¼
Oklahoma	105½	105⅝
Oslo	100⅛	100½
Republic of Colombia	25¾	25¾
Republic Steel	91	92½
Sthrn. Rly.	67¾	67½

B—Bid *—Ex dividend.

Dow-Jones Summary

By Courtsey of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Stock prices on Wall Street advanced today from fractions to two points, reaching new highs on the recovery movement. The volume of trading also increased, and the advance was the thirteenth recorded in sixteen sessions. The Dow-Jones Industrial Average of 138.36 listed today was the highest witnessed since March 27, 1939. Reports of better business continued to be received, and sentiment was further aided by reports of Congressional aid before the present session ends, especially in regard to taxes.

Commodity Barter With the U.S.

Raises Many Important Questions; Politically It Is Valuable

Mr. Chamberlain's recent announcement of negotiations between the British and American Governments for large-scale commodity barter aroused, first of all, hope that this was another opportunity for positive and constructive economic collaboration between Gt. Britain and the United States and, secondly, apprehension at its implications. To discuss the details of the proposed agreement is perhaps a little premature. The proposal appears to be that the American Government should acquire stocks of rubber and tin as a war reserve, and that the British Government should acquire part of America's surplus of cotton and wheat in exchange. As far as is known, no detailed figures have yet been discussed.

It is believed that the United States War Department requires stocks equivalent to six months peace-time consumption of rubber and to a year's peace-time consumption of tin; that this implies a total transaction to the value of some £30-35,000,000; and that this would involve the purchase by Britain of, say, 2,000.000 bales of cotton—or two years' peace-time consumption — and 10,000,000 quarters of wheat. But these figures are at best only a very rough guide to the scope of a possible agreement. At this stage, indeed, it is most relevant to consider the principle of the present time, but this is the first time that this principle of barter has been suggested for Gt. Britain. Its implications, therefore, should be considered with some care. Politically of course, there is no doubt whatever about the value of such an extension of Anglo-American collaboration. But it may fairly be asked whether this proposed deal is the right sort of collaboration, states the "Financial News."

Barter Agreements

Against barter agreements in general in peace-time, a very strong case can be made. The essence of international trade is that it is multilateral. The extent to which one country's import requirements correspond to another's export surpluses is very limited. In ordinary peace-time foreign trade, there are very few possibilities for mutually profitable barter agreements. The experience of the German barter ageements shows that. These deals have hardly been satisfactory to Germany's customers, who have found themselves loaded with unwanted manufactured goods—aspirin tablets, microscopes and toys—when their economies really required textiles and lorries. The unsatisfactory basis of this type of trade is shown in the other countries' desire to escape from German trade dependence and in the Germans' own desire to extend political control in order to be able to plan the economies of their dependents. In peace-time conditions, therefore, there is nothing to be gained from general arrangements of this kind. In periods of rapid adjustment, however, and in periods in which political and military considerations outweigh all others, agreements of this kind are useful and necessary.

At the present time, for example, no one would seriously suggest that we should refrain from buying Rumanian wheat because it is not precisely of the right quality, or that we should refrain from buying Greek tobacco because we already satisfy our requirements elsewhere. Similarly, the case for a barter deal with the United States is strong, regardless of its detail. The sort of criticism which could be levelled against an arrangement to buy stocks of cotton and wheat from the United States is the argument that such stocks might be bought with greater political advantage from India and Egypt, Canada and Argentina. When trade becomes only another word for politics, it is not easy to choose between the possible suppliers.

Technical Difficulties

As for this proposed barter arrangement, there are clearly a great many technical difficulties. There are insufficient stocks of rubber and tin available to provide the U.S. War Department's requirements. To supply them on the sale suggested above, it would be necessary to raise the rubber quota by 15 per cent. and the tin quota by 30 per cent. for a period of twelve months. This involves action by the international committees and agreement at any rate with Holland. It involves a dislocation of long-term rubber and tin production policy which might well be undesirable in peace-time, but which at the present time might be useful in order to prepare the way for speedy expansion of rubber and tin output in the event of war or inflationary increase of demand. In any case, the plan would be absolutely impracticable unless the producers coud be convinced that these new stocks would in no circumstances be thrown on to the market.

Questions to be Settled

If the existence of these rubber and tin reserves simply meant that the American industrialists carried smaller reserves because they thought they could always draw upon the War Department's supply, the plan would clearly break down. These questions would have to be settled very firmly. At our end of the deal, the question arises whether, say, two years' consumption of cotton and three months consumption of wheat are really the war reserves we require. In wartime there would be a great increase in the demand for cotton godos for all sorts of war purposes.

Moreover, it would be exceedingly useful in war-time to have paid for and transported the raw material for what would probably be one of our staple exports to the non-belligerents. But there are other commodities—for example, steel ingots—which are of even greater importance. The great case for storing cotton lies in the fact that there are large supplies readily available. But it may be asked whether it is reasonable to buy 2.000,000 bales of cotton at a cost of some £20,000,000 when our total storage programme to the end of this year is only £13,500,000. Cotton is cheap and available. There is a real military need for it. But to store it on a large scale, while other important war requirements are not stored. would be justified mainly by the substantial political advantage which would result from closer collaboration with the United States.

May Rubber Output

	lb.
S'hai Kelantan Rubber Estates (1926) Ltd.	17,020

U.S. Commodities

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

New York, June 6.

Initial trading in the cotton market was somewhat irregular, with July ruling comparatively steady, whilst more distant options eased on selling and hedge-selling. Rumours of the possibility of the Export Subsidy Bill being shelved during the present session of Congress brought out considerable liquidation and selling under which prices further moved lower. Closing quotations ranged from 5 to 15 points down, compared with the previous final levels.

Conditions in the raw rubber market were somewhat irregular. The market early opened lower, but later an improvement was seen, probably due to reports of an early settlement of the strike. Quotations at the close were from unchanged to 4 points down.

Trading in the Chicago wheat market was again controlled by weather considerations. The market was a very narrow affair, and, at the final bell, prices ranged from unchanged to ⅛ down.

New York Cotton			New York Rubber		
July	9.12-12	—05	July	16.32-32	—03
Oct.	8.22-22	—11	Sept.	16.39-10	unc B/A
Dec.	8.02-02	—11			
Jan.	7.95 N	—12	Dec.	16.39/40	—02
Mar.	7.85-85	—15	Mar.	16.41-45	—04 B/A
May	7.83-83	—13			

New York Sugar No. 4			New York Silk		
July	1.27-29 B/A	+03	July (No. 1)	2.47-47½	—1½
Sept.	1.11-11½ B/A	—½			

Chicago Wheat			Chicago Corn		
July	75⅞-75¾	unc.	July	50½-50⅜	+⅛
Sept.	75⅝-75½	—⅛	Sept.	52-52	+¼
Dec.	76¾-76⅞	unc.	Dec.	52⅜-52⅜	+⅜

Winnipeg Wheat

July	62⅝-62¾	+⅛
Oct.	63½-63½	+⅛
Dec.	64⅝-64⅝	+⅛

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Manila Gold Shares

(Bids in Pesos)

June 7	Bid Prices a.m. Closing	p.m. Closing
Antamok	.245	.245
Atok	.285	.285
Balatoc	8.00	8.00
Batong Buhay	.015	.015
Benguet Consolidated	11.50	11.40
Big Wedge	.24	.25
Coco Grove	.35	.35
Demonstration	.11	.115
I X L	.51	.52
Masbate	.105	.11
North Camarines	.345	.34
Sam Mauricio	1.04	1.04
Surigao Con., Com.	.225	.235
Surigao Con. Vot. Trust	.19	.23
Suyoc	.155	.16
United Paracale	.49	.49

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Shares Index: (closing prices) 95.85.
—Reuter.

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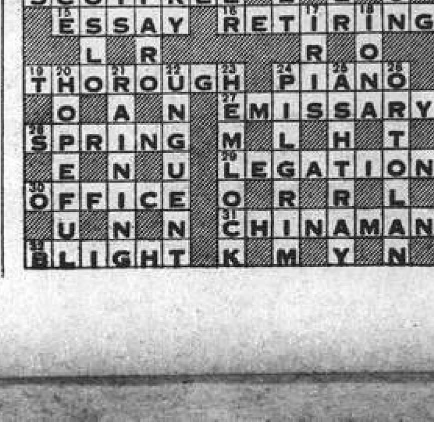

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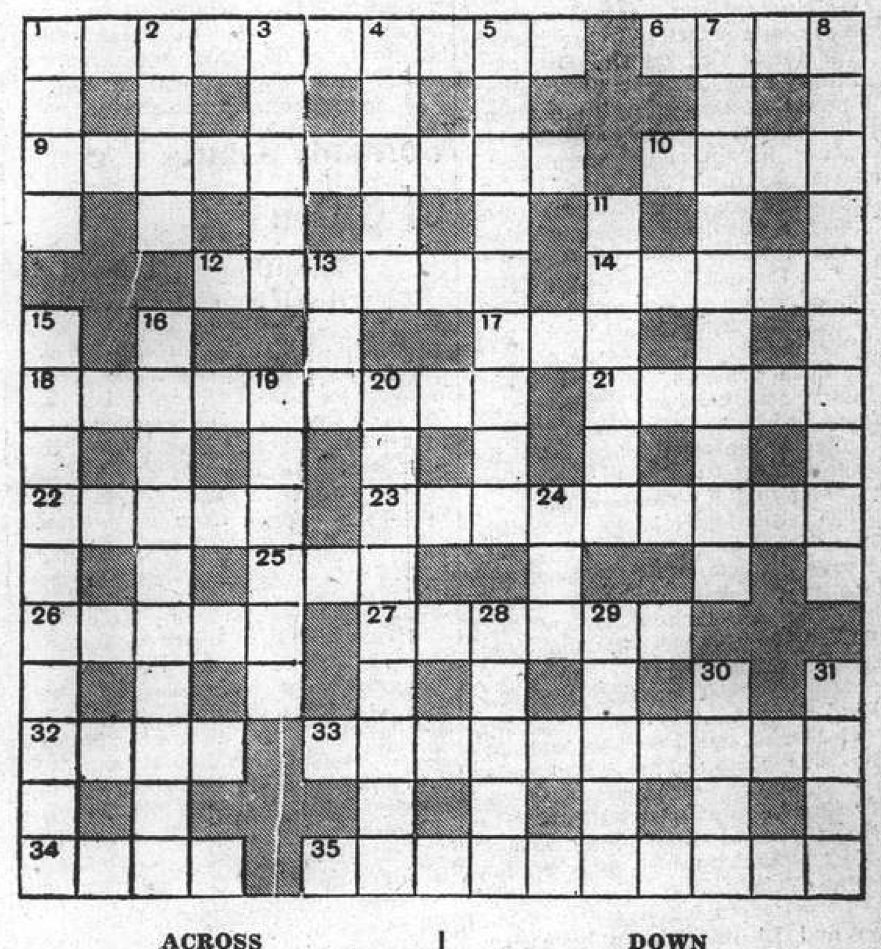


ACROSS

1 Nautical extremes joined, a bit mad after all (three words)
6 "But Hercules himself must yield to ——" (Henry VI.," pt. 3)
9 Put in isolation though a way out is visible
10 Precious stone
12 Got fit for issue
14 "The rusty curb of old father—the law" ("Henry IV.," pt. 1)
17 Tree
18 Armoured creatures these
21 A this is rising
22 Flexible
23 Is this the youngster to clean up in front of the front door?
25 Quadruped in 20 down
26 This reproach is part of a West Country town
27 Snare
32 Catch sight of
33 An expression of sympathy
34 A form of rose
35 What part of a person's body makes for sociableness?

DOWN

1 A boat made this does not travel at all, oddly enough
2 Baltic port
3 A part of the body is to the front
4 A rough copy
5 In spite of its name this bird would not feed many at a picnic
7 The hair-dip causes this disease
8 How can a number be in loneliness? It is enough to worry one
11 This wine sounds as if it gives advice to avoid another
13 She takes part in Air Raid arrangements
15 She tries to carve her way to success
16 Could this orator be also a cooper?
19 An agreement
20 This dish would not really have in it the 25 across that appears there
24 Equality
28 This force is used by seafarers
29 A light is shining
30 "Ay, every——a king" ("King Lear")
31 The sort of stronghold not to lose

Lull in Fighting Occurs on Han River Front

Japanese Said to Be Awaiting More Troops Before Pressing Advance; Capture of Town in Shansi

Chungking, June 6.

LAST week's fighting on all fronts has died down according to a Chinese military spokesman here, apparently owing to a lack of sufficient troops as well as a clearcut fighting plan on the part of the Japanese.

While the situation in Kwangtung and Kiangsi was unaltered, some minor movements took place along the Han River. The spokesman denied the importance of the Japanese advance across the Han river towards Chienkiang as only about 1,000 Japanese troops were engaged in this action. The spokesman added that for the time being no further Japanese advance towards Shasi was to be expected.

Contrary to recent reports from the front about increased Japanese activity in central and western Shansi, where the Japanese are trying to reach the Yellow River, the spokesman declared that only minor engagements were taking place and that it would be wrong to attach any undue importance to this. Instead the spokesman stressed that the new Yellow River bed caused by last year's breaking of dykes when the Yellow River was forced on a southeastward course between Chengchow and Kaifeng, was now being widened by the Japanese in order to direct the flow of the Yellow River, which is expected to come in flood soon, solely along the new bed.

The present breach of 200 metres was being widened to 1,000 metres, the Chinese spokesman declared. Thereby the Japanese, he added, hoped to create a natural barrier between the Japanese forces on the eastern bank and the Chinese along the western bank, which would set free a considerable number of Japanese who could be used elsewhere. This move is interpreted by Chinese circles as an indication that the Japanese are abandoning the plan of pushing on towards Chengchow.—Trans-Ocean.

Shansi Town Captured

Taiyuan, June 7.

Overtaking Chinese troops retreating from areas south-west of Wangchin in eastern Shansi, a Japanese detachment defeated them in a clash on Monday at Liulinchen, west of Lishih in western Shansi, and captured the town, according to a field dispatch received here last night.

Capture of the town deprives the Chinese forces of an important way station on a supply route from red Shensi to Shansi. The Chinese stored military equipment there after entering Shansi by way of Chuntu, a fording point on the Yellow River.

In mopping-up operations in Shansi in May Japanese detachments fought 261 engagements with an aggregate of more than 66,200 Chinese troops, who abandoned 5,357 dead, according to information received here from various fronts.

The Japanese took 370 prisoners. Booty comprised one trench mortar, 300 trench mortar shells, 800 mountain gun shells, 20 light machine guns, 1,500 rounds of machine-gun ammunition, 600 automatic rifles, 90,000 rounds of rifle ammunition, and large quantities of other arms and ammunition.—Domei.

Many Places Bombed

Ranging over far-flung areas in North and Central China on Friday, Saturday and Monday, Japanese naval air units bombed barracks, military establishments, a wireless station, and troop concentrations in half a dozen towns in three provinces, the headquarters of the Japanese China Sea Fleet announced in a communiqué issued on Tuesday.

In North China naval bombers on Friday and Saturday made several attacks on barracks at Yencheng in Central Kiangsu and demolished them.

On Saturday they severely damaged a newly established wireless station at Tungtai in Central Kiangsu.

Military establishments in Shaohing, south-east of Hangchow in northern Chekiang, were bombed on Monday. Barracks in the city were badly damaged by direct hits.

Operating in cloudly weather on Monday, a naval air squadron raided Kian and Taiho, both on the Kan River in Central Kiangsi, and Kangshangkai, south of Nanchang in Central Kiangsi. These raids were "very successful," the communiqué claimed.

At Kian bombs were showered on military establishments, which were demolished, the statement continued. Despite anti-aircraft fire all the planes returned safely to their base, according to the communiqué.

At Kangshangkai troop concentrations were attacked.

Heavy damage was done to an airplane supply base recently moved from Kian and to important military establishments at Taiho, the communiqué concluded.

Yuncheng, June 7.

Explosions of artillery shells and aerial bombs thundered through the mountains of southern Shansi today as five Japanese detachments co-operating in an extensive mopping-up drive tightened their lines around 30,000 Chines troops in areas bordering the Yellow River.

Chinese forces led by Chao Shou-shan and Li Hing-chung have been building strong defence works in the mountains since the unsuccessful April offensive.

Assisted by an army air squadron, five Japanese units, including the Kishima Detachment, famous for its battles in mountainous districts, commenced operations Tuesday morning under a blistering sun, and heavy fighting has been going on since, according to a field dispatch.

Soon after launching a combined assault the Japanese forces battered their way through the so-called first and second defence lines of the Chinese and were reported today to be advancing upon their central positions.

Japanese troops were said to be in complete control of a line extending from Nineliling to Changtienchen.

Mountain Captured

Attacking from the right flank, the Fujimuro Detachment bombarded the Chinese first line near Nienliling and gradually advanced to the top of the mountain.

The Kishima Detachment attacked the centre of the Chinese line, pierced it and scattered the defenders who fell back in disorder, according to the dispatch from a field headquarters.

Troops of the Kishima Detachment were said to have gained positions three-quarters of the way up the mountain.

Simultaneously the Iwakiri Detachment launched an assault from the left flank and co-operated with the Kishima unit in driving the Chinese back to the towns of Pinglu and Maotsing.—Domei.

Pilot Killed in Crash

Washington, June 7.

A few minutes after taking off from Boling Field for New York, the noted Mexican airman Sarabia was killed when his plane crashed into the Anacosta river. The Mexican Chargé d'Affaires here, who watched Sarabia take off, immediately dived into the river to save the airman. He returned saying that he could find no trace of the pilot, who is presumed to have drowned.—Havas.

U.S. Trade With Orient Declines

Falling Off With Japan Offsets Gains in China

Washington, June 6.

The spectacular decrease in United States exports to Japan, chiefly the result of Japanese foreign exchange restrictions and other war measures designed to reduce imports, more than offset the slight continuing increases of United States trade with China in April and the first-four months of this year, the Department of Commerce reported today.

The slump in United States exports to Japan for the first four months of 1939 showed a loss of U.S.$19,000,000 suffered by the United States for trade with the Far East as compared with the same period of last year.

The sudden decrease in trade with Japan and the slight increase in trade with China was partly the result of Chinese native raw materials in Japanese controlled areas being shipped to Japan. Because of this situation, China required more exports from aboard to satisfy the needs of her people.

United States exports to the Far East for April amounted to U.S. $24,000,000 as compared with the U.S.$36,000,000 for the corresponding month last year.

For the first four months of this year, the United States sent goods to the Far East to the extent of U.S. $102,000,000 compared with U.S.$121,000,000 for the same period last year.—United Press.

Military Passes For Yangtze Travel

Britain Agrees, But Not Recognizing Principle

London, June 7.

In order to enable British subjects to proceed up the Yangtze River, the British Government acquiesced the requirement that they hold Japanese military passes, it was announced in the House of Commons today.

The British Government, however, did not recognize in principle, the right of the Japanese to restrict and control the movements of Britons, and the British Ambassador in Tokyo, Sir Robert Craigie, was instructed to enter formal reservations.

These statements were made by Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in answer to Sir Nairne Stewart-Sandeman, Conservative Member for the Middleton and Prestwich division of Lancashire, who asked if the British Government had acquiesced the granting of these passes.

Mr. Butler said: "Yes. Because the situation on the Yangtze has not been normal, we have thought it better to acquiesce in order to obtain those facilities, while making reservations on the general question."—Reuter.

Germany Limits Use Of Cotton

Throttling of Imports to Reich Said Responsible

Berlin, June 6.

The new textile programme greatly limiting the use of cotton will go into force on July 1, it is reported today in economic circles here. After that date it will be forbidden to use any cotton in the manufacture of paper or book bindings, cloth for women's clothes, upholstery, drapes, curtains, etc.

The programme provides for increased manufacture of staple fibre and rayon, and in order to improve the quality of these products, the manufacture of cheap quality material will be discontinued. This step is necessitated, it is declared, by the throttling of cotton imports which is due principally to the complete elimination of the American markets.

Considerable quantities of cotton will still be imported by Germany, it is explained, and in the meantime the Reich is making extensive experiments in the Balkans to develop a variety of cotton that will thrive there and thus to ensure Germany a sufficient supply in those countries which are willing to exchange it for manufactured goods.—Trans-Ocean.

Five Men Killed in Colliery Fire

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, June 6.

Five persons are dead as a result of a fire which broke out today in the Astley Green colliery at Tyldesley, Lancashire. Rescue parties immediately rushed to the pit.—Reuter.

Bandit Shot, C.P.C., Pedestrian Injured

Concession Constables in Running Gun Battle with Armed Robbers

One gangster was killed, whilst a pedestrian and a Concession C.P.C. were seriously injured, following an exchange of shots between three armed robbers and a number of policemen, shortly after the former had perpetrated a hold-up at House 20, Lane 148 Rue Pere Froc, at about 10.30 a.m. yesterday.

Both the injured men are being detained in the St. Marie Hospital in a serious condition, C.P.C. 88 with a bullet wound in the right leg and Tsu Tse-Hong, 34 year-old clerk, with a shot wound over the right eye.

Soon after the thugs had held up the aged woman occupant of the house and had stolen four gold rings and $5 in cash, they attempted to make their escape by running in a westerly direction through Rue Pere Froc, Amiral Bayle, Route Lafayette into an alleyway off Place du Marche Siemen. A number of constables who were on duty in the vicinity at the time, heard the alarm being raised and gave chase. The gunmen, in an effort to cover their retreat, opened fire and caused the two casualties whilst a large number of shots were also fired by the policemen.

The mortally injured bandit fell to the ground, hit by a number of bullets, and was identified as a convicted criminal named Tsang Veng-hai, 35, who in 1928 was sentenced to 15 years imprisonment for having perpetrated armed robberies. He was subsequently pardoned and released. When he was picked up to be transported to the mortuary at Lokawei, he still held his large Mauser pistol in his right hand.

Detectives investigating the case, are under the belief that the two other men may have been injured and all hospitals have been advised, whilst the co-operation of the S.M.P. has been asked in connection with the apprehension of the two desperadoes.

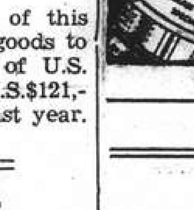
President's Financial Powers Extended

Washington, June 6.

The Senate Banking Committee today approved the Somers Bill which extends for a period of two years the authority of the Administration to devalue the dollar and to maintain the Treasury Stabilization Fund.

Under the Bill, the President also has authority to purchase newly-mined domestic silver at a premium over the world market price.

The Bill has already been approved by the House of Representatives, and prompt action by the Senate is now expected.—Reuter.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Belgium Anxious to Remain Neutral

No Accords with Other Nations Desired

Brussels, June 6.

Belgium wished to remain neutral and free of any military obligations, either of collective or reciprocal nature, a report on the Foreign Affairs Ministry Budget declared today.

The report was tabled in the Chamber of Deputies this afternoon and affirmed that the Foreign Affairs Committee had also unanimously decided to reject resolutely any foreign claims on portions of the Belgian Congo.

In conclusion, it declared that under present circumstances, without reflection on the cordial relations between Belgium and the Netherlands, the Government thought that no military accords should be concluded by the two small powers.—Havas.

Committee of Senate Approves Money Bill

Washington, June 7.

The Senate Banking and Currency Committee yesterday approved a bill extending to June 30, 1940, President Roosevelt's power to devalue the gold content of the United States dollar.

The committee also approved a bill extending the operations of the $2,000,000,000 gold stabilization fund.

The bills were endorsed earlier by a sub-committee and will reach the Senate floor this week.—United Press.

Three Killed as British Bomber Crashes

London, June 6.

Three airmen lost their lives when one of the big new Hampden bombers of the Royal Air Force crashed in the sea off the coast of Fifeshire this morning. A lifeboat put out from the shore, but by the time it reached the scene of the crash both machine and men had disappeared beneath the sea. The new bomber was being submitted to tests when the accident occurred.—Trans-Ocean.

Columbia U. Awards Honorary Degrees

New York, June 6.

A doctorate "honoris causa" was conferred today on M. Jean Zay, visiting French Education Minister, by Columbia University at a ceremony attended by 20,000 students and many personalities. Similar awards were made today to Dr. Eduard Benes, former Czech President; Mr. Sumner Welles, U.S. Assistant State Secretary; Dr. Hu Shih, Chinese Ambassador; and Evangeline Booth, General of the Salvation Army.—Havas.

Yesterday's Arrivals

Name	From	Consignees
Mohlenhof	Ningpo	Carlowitz
Sinkiang	Hongkong	B.&S.
Kanchow	Tientsin	B.&S.
Prosper	Hongkong	H. Changan
Hokwang	Wenchow	A.P.C.
Tejo	T'lungkong	I.C.R.N.
Huashan M.	Hongkong	N.K.K.
C. of Pittsburg	Dairen	Lacey & C.
Sandro Sandri	C'yingsha	W.T.K.
Myogi M.	Japan	N.Y.K.
Nantung M.	Nantung	N.K.K.
Shuntien	Tientsin	B.&S.
Wantung	T'lungkong	B.&S.
Asama M.	Japan	N.Y.K.
Nankin	Hongkong	Mackenzie
Rugeley	Sydney	Jardine
Ikwang	Ningpo	A.P.C.
Talien	Tsungming	Wan Woo
Shukwang	Re-entered	A.P.C.
Trapani	Sanhokong	V. Chieri
Haikong	Hsinkong	Keh Lee
J'ne Justesen	C'wangtao	K.M.A.
Romolo	Liuho	V. Chieri

Yesterday's Departures

Name	Flag	Despatcher
Karsten	Ger.	Chin Dah
Wusueh	Br.	B.&S
Romolo	Ital.	V. Chieri
H. Kiangnan	Ger.	S. Guenter
Talien	Jap.	Wan Woo
Tsinan	Br.	B.&S.
Kiangting	Ger.	Foo Hwa
Patti	Ital.	V. Chieri
Blackheath	Br.	H.G.&R.
Liwo	Br.	Jardine
Seizan M.	Jap.	Showa S.S.
Shanghai M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Hoten M.	Jap.	D.K.K.
Meinan	Am.	S.V.O.C.
Daishin M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
Pres. Coolidge	Am.	A.P.L.
Conte Verde	Ital.	Lloyd T.
J'phine Moller	Br.	Mei Shun
Kwaisang	Br.	Jardine
Ningkwang	Br.	A.P.C.
Soochow	Br.	B.&S.
Moni Rickmers	Ger.	Rickmers
Haiping	Nor.	Yuen Fong

Men-of-War in Port

Name	Flag	Type	Berthed
Cricket	Br.	Gbt.	Y.P.D.W.
Duncan	Br.	Dest.	B.N.B.
Mantis	Br.	Gbt.	Y.P.D.W.
Augusta	Am.	Cr.	B.N.B.
Isabel	Am.	Slp.	U.S.N.B.
Luzon	Am.	Gbt.	U.S.N.B.
Oahu	Am.	Gbt.	U.S.N.B.
Pecos	Am.	Oil/T.	G.I.
Alden 211	Am.	Dest.	29/30 B.
Baker 213	Am.	Dest.	30/30a B.
Bulmer 222	Am.	Dest.	29/30 B.
Edsall 219	Am.	Dest.	28/29 B.
Parrott 218	Am.	Dest.	28/29 B.
J. D. Edwards	Am.	Dest.	30/30a B.
Stewart 224	Am.	Dest.	28/29 B.
Whipple 217	Am.	Dest.	29/30 B.
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THURSDAY, June 8.	Per	Reg.	Ord.
Wenchow and Minhow via Yungkia	Shinyu	*20.00	7.15
Aust. (Y) N.Z. (Y) Manila and Java Ports	Tjinegara	*20.00	8.00
Amoy and Hongkong (Y)	Tjinegara	7.30	8.00
Tsingtao	Anshing	7.30	8.00
Aust. N.Z. and Indo-China	Asama M.	8.00	9.00
Hongkong and Canton	Asama M.	8.30	9.00
Swatow and Hongkong	Kanchow	11.00	11.30
Kwangtung	Kanchow	11.00	11.30
Tsingtao and Tientsin	Newchwang	11.30	12.00
Tsingtao Chefoo Tientsin	Taiseunhong	11.30	12.00
Ningpo	Mohlenhof	12.30	13.00
Ningpo	Tembien	13.00	13.30
Nantung	Nantung M.	14.30	15.00
Kiangpei Offices via Tsinglungchiang	Liwo	16.30	17.00
Swatow and Hongkong	Nanning	18.30	19.00
Kwangtung	Nanning	18.30	19.00
FRIDAY, June 9.			
Tinghai	Hanna	13.30	14.00
Aust. N.Z. S.S. India Suez and Europe via Suez	Agamemnon A	14.00	16.00
Hongkong and Canton	Agamemnon	15.30	16.00
Swatow and Hongkong	Pronto	19.30	20.00
Kwangtung	Pronto	19.30	20.00
Weihaiwei C'foo Tientsin	Taksang	19.30	20.00
SATURDAY, June 10.			
Japan Korea via Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	*20.00	7.15
Tsingtao and Dairen	Tsingtao M.	*20.00	7.15
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Shuntien	*20.00	8.00
Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin	Shuntien	7.30	8.00
Amoy	Hengshan M. x	13.30	14.00
Aust. N.Z. and Manila	G. Maersk x	15.00	16.00
Hongkong and Canton	G. Maersk x	15.30	16.00
Formosa via Keelung	Hukuken M.	20.00	20.00

* The night before.
A Parcel mail for S.S., Gt. Britain and other countries, closes at 12.00 on 9th.
X Provisional time—subject to alterations.
Y Superscribed correspondence.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service per ss. Asama Maru, on June 8, at 8 a.m. for registered and at 9 a.m. for ordinary, due Marseilles June 18, London June 19.

Pan American Airways Service per ss. Agamemnon, on June 9, at 3 p.m. for registered and at 4 p.m. for ordinary, due San Francisco June 21.

Air France per ss. Bhutan, on June 13, at 8 a.m. for registered and at 9 a.m. for ordinary, due Marseilles June 23, London June 24.

Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per steamer to Hongkong.

Royal Netherlands Indies' Airways K.N.I.L.M. (Saigon-Batavia-Sydney) per steamer to Hongkong.

Shanghai-Japan Air Mail Service: daily at 8 p.m. Mails for America may be sent on June 8, by air mail to Japan for connection with ss. Pres. Coolidge leaving Yokohama June 10.

Domestic Air Mail

Nanking per Shanghai-Nanking Air Line at 12.00, at Yuhang Road Sub-Office at 11.30 a.m.

Hwaining and Hankow per Shanghai-Hankow Air Line daily at 10.30 p.m.

Ningsia, Shensi, Szechwan, Yunnan, Kweichow, Hupeh (Shasi and west) and west to Hongkong for the Hongkong-Chungking plane.

Light Train Mail

Via N.S.R. 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Kiangpei Offices west and north of Jukao 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Hangchow 11.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

North Pinghan and Lunghai (east of Chenghsien) 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Wuhu, Hwaining, Kiukiang and Hankow 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Ocean Mails for Europe and America.

Next steamer mails will be closed as follows:—
Agamemnon, via Suez, June 9, due London July 16.
Empress of Canada, via Pacific, June 11, due London July 4.
Haruna Maru, via Suez, June 12, due London July 17.

Weather, Time and Tide

Thursday, June 8, 1939 (21st day of 4th moon)	SICCAWEI June 6 16.00	June 6 21.00	June 7 4.00	June 7 9.00
Barometer inches	29.78	29.79	29.75	29.78
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	—0.08	—0.10	—0.11	—0.10
at 32 F. („ „ 12 hrs.)	—0.08	—0.09	—0.03	—0.01
Wind (direction)	E	ESE	WNW	W
„ (miles per hour)	14.9	6.2	0.0	1.9
Temperature (Fahr.)	66.0°	68.0°	67.3°	73.6°
Humidity %	99	98	100	91
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	10	10	10	6
Rainfall inches	0.21	—	—	—

Siccawei Abridged Report June 6	Mean 1939	24 hrs. variation	66 years average
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	29.83	—0.06	29.77
Temp. Min. — Max. —	—	—	71.°1
Total rainfall January to 1 midnight before last (inches)	13.88	0.21	15.74

Time and Tide	8/6	9/6	10/6	11/6	12/6
Sun rises at Shanghai	4.50	4.50	4.49	4.49	4.49
Sun sets at Shanghai	18.56	18.56	18.57	18.57	18.58
Moon rises at Shanghai	23.09	23.41	—	0.14	0.47
Moon sets at Shanghai	10.07	10.59	11.52	12.45	13.40
Flood makes Shai. 6 to 18	14.00	15.00	16.05	17.12	18.20
Ebb. makes Shai. 6 to 18	6.50	7.40	8.39	9.40	10.50
H.W. W'sung Bar 6 to 18	15.54	16.47	18.26	6.38	8.07
Ht. above LLW. (feet)	9.80	9.20	8.36	8.10	7.62

Vessels Discharging

MONI RICKMERS. This vessel having arrived from Antwerp and Hamburg via Singapore, Manila and Hongkong is now discharging her cargo at the Old Ningpo Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their cargo. Damaged goods will be surveyed by our appointed surveyors, Messrs. Tesdorpf, Hannig & Co., at the Old Ningpo Wharf on June 8, at 9 a.m. All claims against this steamer must be presented within fifteen days after steamers arrival, or they will not be recognized. No insurance effected. Rickmers-Linie, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 83308. 8-6

ALIPORE. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Alipore, from Karachi, Bombay and Ports.—This steamer is discharging Cargo at the Pootung Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Cargo. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" will further be required to send their Representatives to the Wharf to verify the weights of such Cargo whilst it is being landed. Examination of ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Pootung Wharf on Thursday, June 15, at 9 a.m., by Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy. All Claims against this steamer must be sent in within fifteen days from date of Steamer's arrival, or they will not be recognized. All risks of Fire etc. at the Wharf and Godowns to be borne by the Consignees of the Cargo. Pro. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents. 10-6

NANKIN. The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Nankin, from Australia and Ports.—This steamer is discharging Cargo at the Old Ningpo Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Cargo. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" will further be required to send their Representatives to the Wharf to verify the weights of such Cargo whilst it is being landed. Examination of ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Old Ningpo Wharf on Monday June 12, at 9 a.m., by Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy. All Claims against this steamer must be sent in within fifteen days from date of Steamer's arrival, or they will not be recognized. All risks of Fire etc. at the Wharf and Godowns to be borne by the Consignees of the Cargo. Pro. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents. 10-6

NECKAR. The Norddeutscher Lloyd s.s. Neckar, from Bremen, Hamburg and Antwerp via Ports is now discharging her cargo at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf, Shanghai side. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. All risk of fire at the wharf and godowns to be borne by consignees. Any claims against this vessel must be sent in within (15) fifteen days after the vessel's arrival, otherwise they will not be recognized. Damaged cargo to be examined at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf, Shanghai side by Messrs. Tesdorpf, Hannig & Co., on Saturday morning, June 10, 1939, at 9 a.m. Norddeutscher Lloyd, Bremen, General Agents: Melchers & Co., No. 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. No. 15566. 10-6

COBURG. The Norddeutscher Lloyd m.s. Coburg, from Bremen, Hamburg and Antwerp via Ports is now discharging her cargo at the Hunt's Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. Consignees are further notified that the steamer Coburg has taken at Bremen and Hamburg through cargo for Shanghai ex steamer Orla, Arucas, Strauss, Kong Trygve, Hermann, Kong Dag, Yrsa, Sven Clausen and Ludwig from Raumo, Copenhagen, Kotka, Skien, Stolpmunde, Sarpsborg, Aarkus, Randers and Koenigsberg. All risk of fire at the wharf and godowns to be borne by consignees. Any claims against this vessel must be sent in within (15) fifteen days after the vessel's arrival, otherwise they will not be recognized. Damaged cargo to be examined at the Hunt's Wharf by Messrs. Tesdorpf, Hannig & Co., on next Monday morning, June 12, 1939, at 9 a.m. Norddeutscher Lloyd, Bremen, General Agents: Melchers & Co., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 10-6

Vessels Arriving To-day

The following particulars in connection with vessels due to arrive to-day are based upon information available yesterday evening.

From LIVERPOOL: Lycaon, due 5 p.m. Holt's Wharf.

From DAIREN: Tsingtao Maru, with mail, due between 2-3 p.m. Whangpoo Wharf.

From TIENTSIN: Nanning, due a.m. B. & S. Pootung Wharf.

From HONGKONG: Taksang, due 7 a.m. Roosevelt Terminal.
Pronto, due p.m. French Bund.

Due at Future Dates

All vessels are listed under their terminal port. The first date is that of the ship's departure from that port, and the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai Where a ship's name is duplicated it indicates the port of call last visited.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From GDYNIA		
Teucer	2/5	26/6
Perseus	30/5	21/7
Menelaus	30/5	21/7
From COPENHAGEN		
Africa	1/4	13/6
Panama	1/5	11/7
India	3/6	28/7
From OSLO		
Triton	13/4	15/6
Peiping	27/4	17/6
Tarn	20/5	16/7
Ningpo	27/5	17/7
India	7/6	28/7
From HAMBURG		
Odenwald	22/4	16/6
Oder	13/5	27/6
Tarn	1/6	16/7
From BREMEN		
Preussen	18/4	9/6
Leverkusen	2/5	24/6
Rheinland	16/5	3/7
Burgenland	30/5	19/7
From ROTTERDAM		
Fulda	19/5	10/7
Grootekerk	1/6	15/7
Ningpo	6/5	17/7
Burgenland	8/6	19/7
Menelaus	7/6	21/7
From ANTWERP		
Zuiderkerk	17/4	9/6
Glengarry	15/4	11/6
Glenearn	29/4	24/6
Marburg	1/6	6/7
Glenogle	13/5	9/7
Grootekerk	22/5	15/7
Denbighshire	27/5	22/7
From GLASGOW		
Deucalion	22/4	10/6
Patroclus	6/5	22/6
Memnon	20/5	6/7
Antenor	3/6	20/7
From LIVERPOOL		
Calchas	6/5	16/6
Eumaeus	20/5	5/7
Memnon	27/5	6/7
From LONDON		
Rawalpindi	5/5	11/6
Soudan	29/4	11/6
Kasima M.	12/5	20/6
Chitral	19/5	25/6
Hakone M.	26/5	3/7

From LONDON		
Corfu	2/6	9/7
Burdwan	27/5	10/7
Cyclops	3/6	17/7
From MARSEILLES		
Athos II	12/5	9/6
Chenonceaux	26/5	27/6
From GENOA		
C. B'camano	31/5	27/6
Mosel	7/6	7/7
From TRIESTE		
Volpi	30/4	15/6
Cortellazzo	25/5	12/7
From PORT SAID		
Oder	28/5	27/6
Hakone M.	8/6	3/7
Fulda	5/6	10/7
Burdwan	7/6	10/7
Panama	30/5	11/7
From SUEZ		
Glennearn	25/5	24/6
Teucer	23/5	26/6
Rheinland	6/6	3/7
Glenogle	8/6	9/7
From ADEN		
C. B'camano	8/6	27/6
From BOMBAY		
Chitral	8/6	25/6
From P. SWET'HAM		
Odenwald	2/6	16/6
From COLOMBO		
Kasima M.	3/6	20/6
Leverkusen	5/6	24/6
From PENANG		
Patroclus	8/6	22/6
From SINGAPORE		
Triton	1/6	15/6
Volpi	2/6	15/6
Calchas	7/6	16/6
Peiping	3/6	17/6
From SOERABAIA		
Tjibadak	29/5	15/6
From MANILA		
C. of Derby	5/6	13/6
Tai Yin	6/6	14/6
Laura Maersk	3/6	14/6
From HONGKONG		
See "China Ports" below.		

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From NEW YORK		
Silveryew	24/4	9/6
G. Maersk	25/4	11/6
C. of Derby	18/4	13/6
Tai Yin	30/4	14/6
Grete Maersk	10/5	24/6
Slesvig	28/5	26/6
Eskbank	6/5	4/7
Silverwalnut	23/5	7/7
H. Maersk	25/5	10/7
Glaucus	26/5	18/7
Tweedbank	6/6	25/7
From PANAMA		
H. Maersk	5/6	10/7
From SAVANNAH		
Silverwalnut	26/5	7/7
Glaucus	31/5	18/7
From LOS ANGELES		
Tatuta M.	29/5	24/6
Grete Maersk	31/5	24/6

From VANCOUVER		
Emp. Russia	27/5	12/6
Ixion	4/6	29/6
From HONOLULU		
Tatuta M.	6/6	24/6
From HONGKONG		
See "China Ports" below.		
From YOKOHAMA		
Agamemnon	2/6	9/6
Duisburg	6/6	9/6
G. Maersk	7/6	11/6
E. of Russia	7/6	12/6
Haruna M.	4/6	12/6
From KOBE		
Agamemnon	6/6	9/6
Bhutan	8/6	11/6
Haruna M.	8/6	12/6
From NAGASAKI		
Nagasaki M.	8/6	9/6
From KEELUNG(Formosa)		
Hukuken M.	5/6	9/6

AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

From CAPETOWN		
Boissevain	17/5	24/6
From MOMBASA		
Boissevain	4/6	24/6
From MELBOURNE		
Nellore	3/6	10/7

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN		
Duisburg	30/5	9/6
Dairen M.	9/6	11/6
From TIENTSIN		
Dahpu	6/6	10/6
Fooshing	8/6	12/6
Mingsang	8/6	12/6
Shengking	11/6	14/6
Esang	10/6	15/6
From HONGKONG		
Preussen	6/6	9/6
Zuiderkerk	7/6	9/6
Athos II	7/6	9/6

From HONGKONG		
Kaying	6/6	10/6
Deucalion	6/6	10/6
Glengarry	8/6	11/6
Soudan	7/6	11/6
Rawalpindi	7/6	11/6
Yatshing	9/6	11/6
Taiyuan	7/6	12/6
Africa	5/6	13/6
Tingsang	6/6	13/6
Szechuen	9/6	13/6
Suiyang	11/6	15/6
Tjibadak	8/6	15/6
Wingsang	11/6	15/6
Kwaisang	14/6	17/6

Passenger Lists

ARRIVALS

Per President Coolidge, June 6, from **Manila and Hongkong:** Mr. M. J. Avramov, Mr. A. G. Bayiin, Mrs. L. Bertolet, Miss G. Bertolet, Mr. S. Bishoprick, Mrs. W. H. Brereton, Miss O. M. Carvalho, Mr. Tsu Duh Chang, Miss L. J. Chang, Mr. T. S. Cheng, Mrs. K. H. Chun, Mrs. T. A. Du Bois, Master T. M. Du Bois, Mrs. H. T. Eckberg, Mrs. T. H. Eckerson, Miss P. Fei, Mr. H. C. Fu, Mr. N. H. Fu, Mr. S. C. Fu, Mrs. S. Fung, Mr. C. L. Fung, Mr. & Mrs. A. R. Gallimore, Mrs. A. B. Gleed, Master G. Gleed, Mrs. H. S. George, Master J. Gleed, Miss D. Gleed, Mr. E. Gobernik, Mrs. F. C. Graham, Mr. J. I. Gubbay, Mr. J. Hadland, Mrs. R. M. Hoey, Mrs. H. F. Holmshaw, Mrs. M. D. Housh, Mr. P. Huang, Mr. W. J. Kelly, Mr. V. St. J. Killery, Mr. C. A. King, Mrs. A. Lawler, Master T. A. Lawler, Mr. Law Sum, Mr. T. P. Lee, Mr. T. Y. Lee, Mrs. G. L. Lewis, Mr. S. R. Lin, Mr. S. W. Lou, Mr. J. Y. Lum, Major & Mrs. W. Mayer, Masters L. & J. Mayer, Mrs. A. B. Mayfield, Mrs. J. H. McGroan, Mrs. W. A. McDowell, Miss J. McDowell, Mr. S. Mishige, Mrs. F. E. Moore, Mr. D. Neprud, Mr. R. Neville, Mrs. F. O'Connor, Mrs. W. H. Organ, Master J. Organ, Mrs. E. M. Osborne, Mr. A. Oya, Mr. F. M. Pan, Mrs. G. M. Perry, Mrs. W. P. Platt, Mr. T. Shimizu, Mrs. M. A. Simpson, Master J. Stone, Mr. Z. G. Velichinsky, Mr. Willy, Mrs. C. A. White, Mr. T. Yang, Mr. & Mrs. Yeh Nan Shan, Mr. T. Yoshida, Mr. Tak Po Yuen, Mr. W. Zeitlin.

DEPARTURES

Per President Coolidge, June 7, for **Kobe:** Mr. & Mrs. R. A. E. Cornali, Mrs. J. J. Veraa, Mr. W. H. Dickie, Mr. G. Monk, Mr. J. Obadia, Capt. R. M. Lawson, Miss H. Winfield, Mrs. E. F. Coote, Mr. C. H. Varkevisser, Mr. J. P. Mee, Mr. P. Ruhfus, Mr. R. S. Scott, Mr. W. Scheteling, Mrs. R. Solomon, Mr. V. Argiendelio, Mr. J. Grodtmann, Mr. H. J. McKenzie, Mr. J. P. Mee, Mr. & Mrs. Y. Hirose, Mr. J. L. Waelchli, Mr. H. Huele, Mr. J. L. H. Molenaar, Mr. N. S. Tawill, for **Yokohama:** Mr. & Mrs. H. Aufwerber, Mr. H. Wissler, Mr. P. V. Ross, Mr. S. Fomitchev, Mrs. R. Eckhardt, Mr. A. C. M. Cummings, Mr. R. S. Middlemas, Mr. & Mrs. R. Sonderhoff, Mr. & Mrs. H. S. Cooke, Mrs. R. E. J. Grosfils, Mr. A. G. Denbigh, for **Honolulu:** Dr. & Mrs. R. Sia, Miss J. Sia, Master & Miss Sia, Miss G. Chong, for **San Francisco:** Mrs. L. M. Pharis, Mr. & Mrs. R. E. O'Bolger, Mrs. R. L. Beebe, Mr. L. R. Moore, Mr. E. W. Miller, Master M. Gensburger, Master Beaty, Miss L. McNutt, Master H. Barton, Mrs. E. C. Meyers, Mr. D. W. Smith, Mr. L. Martinuzzi, Miss B. Lee, Mrs. N. N. Fettner, Miss Chu Ying Chang, Mrs. L. A. Kabanoff, Mr. J. B. Sawyer, Mrs. P. Ikenberg, Miss C. Yuchuen, Miss S. E. O'B[illegible]ger, Mr. G. Shecklen, [illegible]s. R. E. Permut, Miss [illegible] Gensburger, Mr. R. J. [illegible]nsome, Mrs. P. V. McNu[illegible] Mrs. J. A. Barday Barto[illegible] Rear Admiral G. J. M[illegible]yers, Mrs. D. W. Smith[illegible] Mr. Homer K. Y. Lu, M[illegible]rs. H. Herzfelder, Mrs. D. T. Huntington, Miss C. L. Moffett, Mr. H. Tseng, Mrs. J. B. Sawyer, Mr. P. Ikenberg, Mr. T. C. Li, Miss I. Lau, Miss R. P. O'Bolger, Mr. D. J. Shanhart, Mrs. V. D. Gensburger, Mrs. G. D. Beaty, Lt. Comdr. J. P. De Blanc, Mrs. M. Buchanan Heady, Mr. L. Kershaw, Miss M. R. Jenking, Mr. N. N. Fettner, Mrs. H. Vanderhoof, Mr. R. B. Wang, Mrs. H. Tseng, Miss J. Sawyer, Mr. L. T. Vigano, Capt. J. Budgen, Mr. I. S. Assin, for **Los Angeles:** Mr. & Mrs. H. L. Yung, Mr. & Mrs. R. V. French, Mrs. J. P. and Master C. Soresen, Mr. & Mrs. P. C. Van Stellingwerff, Mr. D. Goodman, Mr. C. L. Conrady.

Per Taisang, June 8, for **Hongkong and Ports:** Capt. Freurant, Mr. Compton, Mr. Kreig, Mr. Bunstead, Miss Kreig, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Goldenberg, Mr. Lien, Mr. Caudron, Mr. Zorn, Mr. Schmidt, Mr Boutocurlin, Mr. Villers, Mrs. Rocha, Mrs. Pedersen, Mr. Wong, Mr. Szanto, Dr. Werbner, Mr. Rozario, Miss Rozario, Mr. & Mrs. Chang, Miss Chuo.

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NEWCHWANG June 8. TSINGTAO and TIENTSIN.—From French Bund on Thursday, June 8, at 2 p.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 8-6

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TAKSANG June 10. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Saturday, June 10, at 8 a.m. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 9-6

SHUNTIEN June 10. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Saturday, June 10, at 10 a.m. Calls at Tsingtao for passengers only. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 10-6

YATSHING June 13. CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, June 13. For freight apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 13-6

TINGSANG June 15. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Thursday, June 15. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 15-6

WINGSANG June 17. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Saturday, June 17, at 10.30 a.m. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 17-6

SOUTH CHINA COAST

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KAYING June 13. SWATOW, HONGKONG, KWONGCHOWWAN, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Tuesday, June 13, at 7 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 12-6

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C. OF PITTSBURG June 9. HAVRE, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and GLASGOW.—The Ellerman Line steamer City of Pittsburg is due to sail for Havre, London, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Glasgow on June 9, 1939, daylight. Lacey and Cannan, Ltd. Tel. 12854, (3 Lines). 8-6

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BHUTAN June 13. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, HAVRE, LONDON, HULL, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM and ANTWERP via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, PORT-SUDAN, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—For freight and Passage, Apply to Mackinnon, Mackenzie Agents, 27 The Bund. Tel. 11428. 13-6

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AMERICA

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AUSTRALASIA

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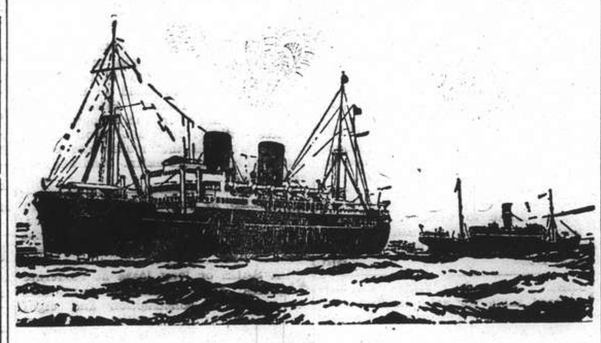

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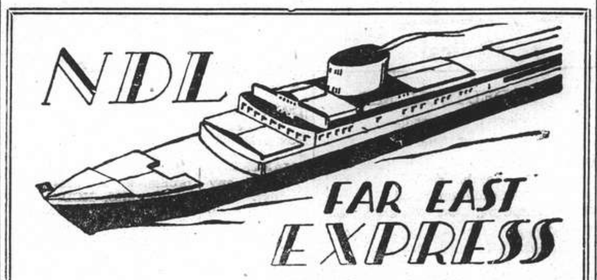

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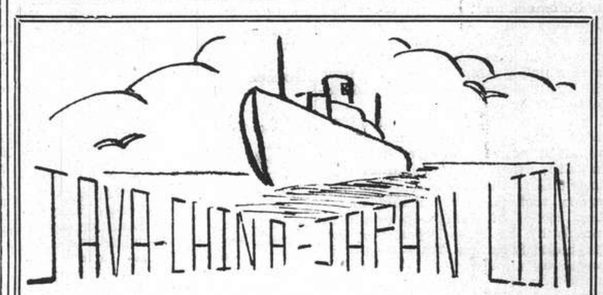

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Recent Agreement with Brazil is of Greatest Political and Economic Importance

THE recent agreement between the United States and Brazil under which Washington will advance $120,000,000 over a period of years, is of the greatest political and economic importance. In the first place it introduces open subsidies on American industrial exports. Secondly, though the amount of $120,000,000 will be advanced as a "loan," no attempt has been made to conceal that it is virtually a free gift; it is an open return to the "dollar diplomacy" and the "political loans" which the New Deal used to regard with such pious horror. The only return ever to be expected will be in the form of token payments on the Brazilian Dollar bonds, which will not use up more than a minute fraction of the amount advanced, states the "Financial News."

This agreement constitutes, therefore, a complete break with all the principles on which New Deal foreign policy had been based hitherto. Yet it is an open secret that the United States Government was ready to go much farther. The Department of Agriculture is known to have been offered the virtual inclusion of the Brazilian cotton growers into the American scheme of farm benefit payments against a promise to restrict the Brazilian cotton acreage and to reduce Brazilian cotton exports to the dictatorship countries. And the State Department was willing to offer Brazil financial support for naval and aircraft expansion. But in spite of the reluctance of the Brazilians to accept these "free gifts," the President and his advisers regard the agreement as the first major triumph of their new South American policy.

Economic Penetration

The "penetration" of South America and the drive to "unify" the western hemisphere under American leadership will henceforth be continued with increased vigour: it is quite possible that they will become the main objects of American foreign and trade policy in the next months. For the penetration of Latin America by the German trade and propaganda drive, which the new U.S. policy is intended to counteract, has become the major obsession of Government and Opposition alike. It is quite possible—and, in fact, probable—that the dangers are exaggerated, if not largely imaginary. But to the American who has never yet had to face the danger of attack from the outside, the emergence of a form of foreign intervention in Latin America against which no Monroe Doctrine proves effective, must necessarily appear as a threat to his very security. Even those people who ridicule the talk of German airbases in Mexico or Colombia, and who emphasize that Germany has barely regained her pre-war share of the South American trade, find themselves in agreement with a policy which proposes to fight the totalitarian trade attack with its own weapons.

But while there is general agreement that the United States must pursue an active and aggressive policy in Latin America, there is utter confusion as to the means and the ends which such a policy should adopt. One school of thought—represented mainly by the State Department and its head, Secretary Hull—speaks in terms of an American "League of Nations" and of American "Collective Security." This concept was unanimously rejected by the Latin-American countries at the Lima conference last Christmas; but it is still the official policy of that very substantial part of the New Deal which grew out of the Wilson tradition. Another faction believes in "economic penetration" through subsidized exports of American goods; but the proponents of this policy tend to forget that the South American countries can only buy from countries to which they can sell their raw materials. Any United States export drive is bound to come to grief as long as America takes neither Chile's copper nor her nitrate, neither Peru's oil nor her cotton, neither Argentina's wheat nor her meat. As long as the dictatorship countries are better customers than Uncle Sam they will remain as suppliers regardless of the subsidy granted to United States exporters. Finally, there is one school of thought which considers Latin America merely in terms of military expediency. This school, which is steadily gaining in strength as the other two demonstrate their inherent lack of realism, wants to unite North and South America in an iron-clad military alliance, the financial burden of which would be borne by the United States. In addition, they want to make the western hemisphere self-sufficient by financing the production of rubber in Brazil and that of tin in Bolivia. But the South American countries seem to be much more afraid of North American military hegemony than even of fascist aggression; and the American proposals at a military alliance have, therefore, created some suspicion in Argentina, Chile and Peru.

Agreement With Brazil

The agreement with Brazil, which alone of all Latin-American countries sells more of its principal crop to the United States than to any other country, and which, in addition, never shared the anti-Yankee sentiment of the Spanish-speaking republics, will, therefore, probably remain without immediate successor. But the attempts of the United States to oust the dictatorship countries from the western hemisphere should only become more strenuous in the event of failure. The ominous word "trade war" is frequently heard in Washington these days. Some influential Government officials discuss openly whether it would be advisable to accumulate—at the expense and risk of the United States—"war reserves" of Latin-American surplus commodities such as cotton, copper, oil, meat and wheat for which there is no peace-time market in the United States. There has even been mention of "economic sanctions" against Latin-American countries which refuse to co-operate. Although such extreme measures seem bound to be rejected by public opinion, the seriousness with which they are discussed in responsible quarters shows the complete change which the New Deal's "Good Neighbour" policy towards South America has been undergoing as a result of Germany's trade drive.

The Real Victim?

One question is, however, never discussed in Washington: who will be the real victim of an aggressive American drive in Latin America? It is taken for granted that American economic penetration into Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Peru and Uruguay must necessarily drive out the Germans, Italians and Japanese. Actually it is very doubtful whether anything short of American purchases of South American commodities can have this desired effect. Argentina has recently declared semi-officially that she would rather sell wheat and meat against Aski-Mark in spite of all the trouble involved, than take gifts from the United States; and she has suited her actions to her words by cutting down on American imports and by concluding new barter agreements with Germany. Uruguay, Peru and Chile have taken a similar position; so have Colombia and Venezuela. And Mexico, which increases her trade relations with Germany and Italy every day, in spite of Washington's continuous support to her economic structure, is perhaps the best example that it is not the dictatorships who suffer from an aggressive American economic policy in Latin America as long as the United States cannot compensate the Latin-American countries for the loss of the markets which they enjoy at present in the dictatorship countries.

If the United States forces or persuades South America to buy more from her, without, at the same time, increasing her own purchases of South American goods sufficiently, the victim will not be Germany or Italy, purchases from which countries Latin America cannot reduce without risking an irreplaceable market, but those other countries which still adhere to orthodox trade principles. In other words the real sufferer from a concentrated U.S. trade drive in Latin America is bound to be Great Britain, although nothing could be further from the intentions of the Roosevelt Administration.

It is British trade which seems to be threatened in the first place if the United States should resort to "totalitarian trade methods" in South America. But the threat to trade is only the most obvious, not the most serious one, especially as Britain could always use her heavy purchases of all South American commodities to preserve her market. A far greater danger to British interests—and far more difficult to combat—is the direct threat to British investments.

The Real Theat

This threat might work in two ways. America might encourage Latin-American debtors to remain in default and enable them to obtain new money in spite of unliquidated former debts. That is what happened in the case of the Brazilian agreement where the United States Government furnished new money regardless of Brazil's total default on her old debts; and while a vague promise was exacted from the Brazilians to come to some settlement with regard to the Brazilian Dollar bonds, the Sterling bonds have been completely forgotten. Small wonder that both Peru and Chile have greeted this agreement as a precedent which will work in their favour as soon as they need new money. Even more dangerous might be the second possibility—which has already become reality in Mexico.

The United States, bent upon unifying the western hemisphere, might find it necessary to condone Latin-American expropriations of foreign capital in order to escape the favourite South American reproach of "Dollar Imperialism." There is, anyway, little sympathy with the foreign investor to be found in the present Administration or among the American people. In addition, there is the not quite unjustified conviction that much of the American investments in South America, especially the Utilities bought at the peak of the 1929 boom, are hardly worth anything at all, so that their sacrifice for the sake of "South American appeasement" would be fully justified. And if the United States encourages the expropriation of her nationals, who can stop the South American countries—protected not only by the Monroe Doctrine but also by Uncle Sam's willingness to lend them new money—to expropriate the far more important holdings of other nationals as well? That this is not just a theoretical speculation is shown by reports from Chile, Venezuela and Cuba, where the question of "nationalization" of foreign-owned properties on the Mexican model is being seriously discussed.

The new United States drive into Latin America is, therefore, well worth closest attention. It has not even started in real earnest. But its first beginnings show already that it might well lead to consequences which are not only very far from Mr. Roosevelt's intentions but also definitely threatening to the very countries which the President wants to support.

Young American Held By Nazis

Alleged to Have Written Satire on Reich

Oakland, Calif., June 7.

Mr. William B. Curts 20-year-old American student who was attending the University of Munich, is being held in a Nazi prison at Heidelberg because he wrote a four line verse in a German hotel register satirizing the Hitler Government, it was disclosed here today.

Announcement was made by the young man's guardian, Mr. Bestor Robinson of Oakland who said that Mr. Curts had been in the Nazi prison for three weeks.

The State Department was said to have informed Mr. Robinson that the American Embassy in Berlin had intervened in an attempt to obtain Mr. Curts' freedom.

Mr. Robinson revealed he had received a carefully worded letter from his ward after his imprisonment. The letter thanked German citizens for "beating" him and said that the treatment he was receiving "really has given me an opportunity to know the Germans.... They will fight for Der Fuehrer."—United Press.

French C.-in-C. in London

Great Welcome Given to General Gamelin; To See Aldershot Tattoo

London, June 6.

Coming for parleys with British military leaders, General Marie Gustave Gamelin, French Chief of Staff, arrived at Victoria Station at 3.40 p.m. today.

He was greeted by General Viscount Gort, Sir Cyril Newall and Sir Roger Backhouse, respectively Chiefs of the Imperial, Air and Navy General Staffs.

Several thousands of people cheered him as he drove out of the station yard.

He dined this evening at the French Embassy, where many prominent British politicians and military leaders were invited. Among those present were the War Secretary, Mr. Leslie Hore Belisha, and the former Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden.

General Gamelin is to attend the Aldershot Tattoo tomorrow, when some 70,000 British school children will also gather to watch the colourful military exercises.

And on Thursday, he will be guest to dinner of 100 M.P.'s. The reception will be held in the House of Commons.

General Gamelin was only today given the new rank of Commander-in-Chief of the Army in addition to his title as Chief of Staff.

The French Government issued a special decree for the occasion, wishing to give French military leaders ranks of equality with foreign military chiefs.—Havas.

I.R.A. Chief Charged on Passport Irregularity

Being Held Incommunicado In Detroit

Detroit, June 7.

Sean Russell, Chief of Staff of the outlawed Irish Republican Army which has perpetrated outrages in England in recent months, was still being held incommunicado in an immigration cell here last night.

He was charged with entering the United States under an improper passport and immigration officers said his arrest had been made on orders from Washington.

Two weeks ago Russell was quoted as saying during a lecture in San Francisco that a "state of war" exists between Ireland and Britain. A week earlier he had been quoted as saying in a Los Angeles lecture that he had personally ordered the recent bombings in England.

The Irish leader was arrested by Federal agents on the eve of the arrival of King George and Queen Elizabeth in the United States, but the Second Assistant Secretary of Labour, Mr. Marshall Dimock, said in Washington last night that he knew of no official British interest in the case. He said Russell had simply overstayed his 30 day visitor's permit in the United States.—United Press.

Nazis Attack Pole Pole Arrested

Strange Incident Reported From Danzig

Warsaw, June 6.

Thirty Nazis attacked the house of a Polish citizen residing in Danzig and destroyed an adjoining shed, the press here announced today. And the Pole was later arrested by the police.

The Nazis tried to get into the house and the Pole thereupon called out the police.

When the gendarmes arrived, however, they arrested the house-owner on the charge of having provoked the whole incident by causing the 30 Nazis to gather round his home, the press added.

Some newspapers also reported that windows in the Polish church of St. Stanislas had been shattered by unidentified persons.—Havas.

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